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CITIZENS ASSURE $3000 FOR RELIEF

Is Former Elyria Woman Maid or Wife? The Courts Must Decide

Man Who Married Local Woman Now Has Two as Wife

SECOND WEDDING OF GEORGE V. SMITH TO LORAINE B. LIEBTAG, OF THIS CITY, MAY BE HELD ILLEGAL—ELYRIA MARRIAGE TOOK PLACE FIVE DAYS AFTER PROMISED DIVORCE WHICH WAS LATER REFUSED AND WHICH BROUGHT ABOUT $50,000 DAMAGE SUIT

A dispatch to the Chronicle-Telegram from Cincinnati, gives the details of the efforts of George V. Smith, of Cincinnati, to have his marriage to Miss Loraine B. Liebtag, formerly of this city, declared legal. The message is as follows:

"The Circuit Court of Appeals for the southwestern district of Ohio has rendered its decision sustaining that of the Court of Domestic Relations, when Judge Charles W. Hoffman, of Hamilton county, refused to place on record a divorce decree granted in open court to Mrs. Margaret E. W. Smith, of 5205 Carthage avenue, Norwood, Cincinnati, on March 19, 1920, from George Vivian Smith, of 3620 Eylesboro avenue, Hyde Park, Cincinnati, from the aforesaid plaintiff.

Judge Changes Mind

Smith, relying on the granting of the decree, married Miss Loraine B. Liebtag, a highly respected Elyria woman, shortly after the hearing of his wife's case, and taking into consideration the court's definite action absolutely s[illegible] his former spouse.

Later Judge Hoffman changed his mind and ruled the decree, which it seems had not been recorded, null and void, which is contrary to custom in court procedure and Smith has since contended the decree was binding, and has carried the case through several courts up to the court of appeals without avail. The decision knocks out Smith's action to mandamus the court of Judge Hoffman, to force the placing of the decree upon the court records as usual.

The first Mrs. Smith, according to Attorney Harry D. Englehardt, has a suit demanding $50,000 damages for alleged love alienation against the Elyria woman, now known in court records as the second Mrs. Smith. The pending suit was it is claimed, the cause of the first Mrs. Smith's objecting to Mr. Smith taking the decree made by Judge Hoffman. Mrs. Smith, the first refused to take the decree made because it had not been recorded. The appellate court says that an oral verdict is not sufficient to sustain an action. Smith, according to Attorney Englehardt, who acts for the first Smith, is in the moving picture business."

Lived on Cleveland Street

Investigation at the court house reveals that George Vivian Smith and Miss Loraine Liebtag were married in this city by Rev. W. S. Smith of the United Presbyterian church on March 24, 1920. At that time Smith stated he was a traveling salesman and lived in New York City. She gave her address as 145 Cleveland street, and her occupation as bookkeeper.

The couple were married five days after the supposed granting of a divorce to Mr. Smith from the first Mrs. Smith. Smith has declared he will carry the case to the supreme court and the case is being watched by attorneys all over the country, as it is decidedly unusual.

Passes Bar Exam.

Lowell Raymond, of this city, has been admitted to the bar at Columbus, according to an announcement made in the capital, today.

Christmas Trees Come From Cemetery

E. A. Schwert proprietor of the Brown hotel, brought a hot one from Lorain this morning, when he told of the police of that city arresting a man who was endeavoring to dispose of a load of Christmas trees.

According to Schwert, the man had secured the trees in a nearby grave yard and some of the lot owners objected to celebrating the holidays under the spreading branches of the pine which had so recently sheltered the graves of their loved ones.

Schwert says the dealer in Christmas trees was quite surprised when he learned that the cemetery was private property, as he always supposed it was just a vacant lot where they buried dead people.

DACHTLER OBJECTS TO TIME SCHEDULE

Fred Dachtler, of the J. A. Lucas Plumbing Company, is very much opposed to the present time schedule which forces a man to go to work before daylight and does not release him from his labors until after dark in the afternoon.

"Let's have one time year around and change the working hours if necessary to secure additional daylight," says Dachtler. He does not play golf and is not interested in the operation of the New York Stock market.

LAKE AVENUE BOY SELLS MANY SEALS

Richard Gollmar, 1245 Lake avenue, a member of the Sixth grade at the Jefferson schools, has sold 1700 Red Cross seals, much to the satisfaction of his schoolmates and friends.

Richard is a hustler and if all the boys and girls in the schools will devote a portion of their time to a selling campaign, this city will be able to go over the top in good shape before the first of the year.

FRANCE AWARDS AMERICAN WOMAN HIGHEST TRIBUTE

Mrs. Cornelius Stevenson, and her medals.

Mrs. Cornelius Stevenson of Philadelphia has been decorated with the cross of the legion of honor by President Millerand of France. This is the highest award that France bestows. It was given in appreciation of her collaboration in war work for the relief of distress in France. In the photo above Mrs. Stevenson is wearing the chevelier of the legion of honor between academic palms of the officer of public construction at the left, and the medal of gratitude of the French republic.

LAZOS' ATTORNEYS PAID BY CHECK THAT WAS 'PHONY

Court room spectators attending the trial of Christ Lazos, Lorain Greek, charged with the murder of Peter Paul, enjoyed a good laugh at the expense of Attorney Hasselman of Cleveland, senior member of the law firm which represented the defendant.

The visiting attorney had just stated to a group of friends that it was a pleasure to try a case in this city, inasmuch as the court and opposing counsel had accorded him every consideration which could be asked.

A telephone call interrupted the conversation and when he re-joined his friends, Hasselman exclaimed, "now what do you know about that? I agreed to defend this man after his friends had accepted my terms and presented me with a check for the stipulated sum, but I have just received information from Cleveland, to the effect that the check is no good, and here the jury has found my client guilty of second degree murder.

The money for defending Lazos was raised by his friends and given to one of their number to deposit in the bank. The check was payable on Tuesday, but either the man failed to deposit it, a misunderstanding has taken place or the attorneys have been treated badly.

HAS NEITHER STOCK NOR THE CASH

L. S. Grimm has filed a suit in common pleas court to recover the sum of $550 with interest at 6 per cent from the Quality Tire and Rubber Company, which recently took over the property and good will of the Longwear Rubber company of this city.

The plaintiff states in his petition, that he purchased $1000 worth of preferred stock from the Longwear Rubber, paying one half of that amount in cash and deposited Liberty Bonds in the sum of $250 with the company and agreed to pay the balance of the purchase price whenever called up to to do so.

Grimm says the company has informed him that it will not deliver the stock and that his Liberty bonds have been returned to him, but for some reason the cash payment he made has not reverted to his bank acount and he seeks judgment in the sum of $550.

WOMAN'S CIVIC CLUB TO HELP CHILDREN

The Child Welfare department of the Womans' Civic Club have taken it upon themselves to see that no needy Elyria child shall be without a Christmas present.

Through the kindness of Owen Bannon they have secured the Colonial theatre for Saturday morning, and will show pictures of child life at play, and a number of fine animal pictures. The children of the city are invited to attend and admission fee will be a toy or book in good condition that they no longer need, or an apple and a potato.

These are to be given to the Salvation Army, or some other charitable organization to be distributed where they will do the most good. The Woman's Civic Club will have chaperones at the theatre to care for the children. The first show will be given at ten o'clock and the second at eleven o'clock.

CITY PRISON CELLS VACANT

One lone hobbo who was provided with a night's lodging, was the only visitor at the police station Thursday night, no arrests having been made by patrolmen, other than the motorcycle cop.

As persons accused of speeding are not locked up, unless found to be in a intoxicated condition, the cells at the city prison were vacant for the time being.

Take Charge Of Auto

An auto with the engine running and the lights burning, was parked at the corner of Garford and Broad street, all night, according to the neighbors in that vicinity and the police being unable to locate the driver, placed the car in a garage.

Mushrooms Come High

Mushrooms are being offered Elyrians at 80 cents the pound, but there is no rush on the part of customers to secure them at that figure and it looks like a hard winter for the growers engaged in producing this particular type of fungus growth.

World War Vet Collapses From Lack of Food

FIREMEN AND POLICE SUCCOR STRANGER HERE IN SEARCH OF WORK — DOUGHBOY TO BE IN CARE OF AMERICAN LEGION

As a result of going without food since Monday, Al Smith, 28, of Altoona, Pa., collapsed in front of the central fire station this morning and was cared for by the firemen who soon restored him to a conscious condition.

The half starved stranger was a member of the Second Division of the 135 Machine Gun Company and says he was gassed while in France, but had not suffered any ill effects from that experience since returning to this country.

Smith arrived in this city from Youngstown, early this morning and was searching for work when he suddenly fell to the sidewalk on second street.

Between the assistance rendered by the police and fire department, Smith was soon provided with food and drink and was reluctant to admit that one of Uncle Sam's soldier boys should be forced to go for so long a period without anything to eat.

The American Legion will look after the doughboy during his sojourn in this city. He has a wife and family in Altoona, he says.

SUPT. J. A. NESTOR READY FOR SNOW

Superintendent J. A. Nester of the Green line watches the government weather reports pretty closely these days, as he never knows before retiring for the night whether it will be necessary to put the snow plows in operation before morning.

Last winter the company was compelled to work gangs of men continuously for a period of two months in order to keep the system open for traffic and it cost the company a modest fortune to remove the snow and ice from the tracks.

The winter before was an open one and there was no work for the snow plows to do, the cars in operation tending to keep the snow from the rails.

Three years ago there was a drift on the Norwalk branch, a half mile long and sixteen feet deep and it required the combined efforts of men and plows for two weeks, to remove the obstruction from the right of way.

When the snow plow finally succeeded in bucking through the drift, the car on which it was installed, jumped the track and demolished a pole carrying the high tension wires.

The score of workmen in the rear of the car found themselves in darkness, except when the deadly current came in contact with the ground, and there was a wild scramble on their part to put a safe distance between themselves and the fallen wires.

President Wilson has accepted membership on the honorary national committee of the centennial endowment fund of the University of Virginia. A nation-wide campaign has been started to raise $3,000,000 by subscriptions from the alumni and friends of education.

Charities Worker Says Outlook Sad

Mrs. Cora Ensign, whose activities along charitable lines, in behalf of the Women's Civic Club and other organizations, has brought her in such close touch with the local situation in regard to the needy of the community, that her advice was solicited today by a representative of this paper and in the interview stated: "Conditions have not been exaggerated in Elyria. I find that each day reveals new and more distressing conditions and the greatest difficulty, we, who desire to help, will encounter, will be the pride of those who will not let their needs be known.

WILSON PURCHASES WASHINGTON HOME

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16—The purchase for President Wilson of the former home of Henry P. Fairbanks, 2340 S. street, Northwest, was announced today by R. W. Bolling, the president's brother-in-law. The house will be the permanent residence of the president after his retirement from office, March 4. Mr. Bolling said the property would pass into possession of its new owner February 15 or before.

The price paid was not made public, but it was said to have been in the neighborhod of $150,000. The house was built about four years ago and is of colonial brick and limestone. It is surrounded by grounds that take up nearly a square and is raised well above the street level.

Relief Work is Under Way As Merchants and Citizens Rally to Support Movement

BAPTISTS PLEDGE $1000

PUBLIC IS URGED TO HASTEN TO SUPPORT OF THE COMMITTEE WHICH EXPECTS TO DO EFFECTIVE WORK IN THE SHORTEST TIME POSSIBLE — AID GIVEN MANY THIS MORNING

The people of Elyria are responding with a generous heart and an open purse to the needs of the city. More than $3,000 is now available for aleviation of the distress and this was only up to one o'clock this afternoon when this story had to close.

Mr. R. B. Whitehead, Secretary of the Machinists' Union and who has used his office as a clearing room for some of those needing employment and work, and Captain David Heddle of the Salvation Army, together with Mrs. Nellie M. Hill have been added to the committee in charge.

Sadder cases than those described in the Chronicle-Telegram are coming to light and have been presented to the chairman of the committee.

In addition to funds arrangements will undoubtedly be made for other supplies and service rendered as is being undertaken by the Exchange Club in relation to the toys, as noted yesterday.

It is the spirit of giving and not the amount of the gift that will tell with you. Telephone or send to the Mayor's office, phone 2107, there will be some one in charge there.

In addition to amounts subscribed, several merchants have already offered to sell their goods at actual cost which are purchased for those in temporary need.

Amount Pledged on Page Eight

MRS. L. E. HOPKINS CALLED BY DEATH—FOUR SONS MOTHERLESS

Death, no matter under what conditions, is sad for some one, but there are cases when it seems that the heart breaking features are unspeakable, as in the situation today at the home of L. E. Hopkins at 315 Ninth street, whose wife, Mrs. Ethel Hopkins, aged 39 years, passed away last evening at Memorial hospital after an illness of twelve days, which followed successful operative treatment.

The most distressing feature was the fact that her recovery was assured and the anticipation of her husband and four sons, the youngest ten and the eldest twenty-two, having "mother" home for Christmas was joyful, but without warning, and after a most restful day, the mother at five o'clock, quietly and without any warning, expired. Physicians stated that her heart had simply given out.

Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon at two o'clock from the home on Ninth street, Rev. R. E. Neighbour, officiating and burial will be made in Ridgelawn.

Another sad occurrence in this family is the illness of Mr. Hopkins brother's wife who was brought from La Grange several days ago to Memorial hospital and whose condition is critical.

YOUNG WOMAN STIRS UP COURT ROOM

A demure young woman with downcast eyes and a skirt calculated to have a similar effect upon the eyes of others who happened to see her, was responsible for court being delayed in court room number one this morning.

Bailiff Helman was order to summon the jurors to appear in court, but was promptly informed to hie himself to a certain place over which Judge Thompson had no jurisdiction.

As soon as the court room attaches could be located, which was not a difficult task, the bailiff informed the court that there was a counter attraction which was occupying the attention of the jurors and the judge inquired if it would be necessary to recess until such time as the vision of loveliness had departed on her way.

Just as the case had been resumed the door of the court room opened and the charming disturber swept through the hall of justice as twelve pair of eyes were focused upon the unexpected visitor.

Two hundred and thirty-three motion picture reels on varied topics are now ready for distribution through the extension division of the University of California for use in the universities of the State. The films include industrial and scenic views from all parts of the world.

HUSBAND CONTESTS DIVORCE SUIT

Mary Skrjantz of Lorain, is in Judge Redingtons court today, in an effort to secure a divorce from her husband John, whom she charges with failure to provide for herself and children, but whom objecting to her keeping boarders.

One boarder testified that he had presented the women with a pair of stockings and had received a neck tie in return from her, before being driven from the home by the husband.

[illegible] the famous men who got their education at Columbia University, in New York City, where Alexander Hamilton, John Jay, DeWitt Clinton, Gouverneur Morris, Hamilton Fish, Abram S. Hewitt and

LOESTEINER IS GUILTY OF MURDER

Jury Out Forty-Five Hours Before Arriving at Verdict

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17.—A verdict of first degree murder with a recommendation of mercy was returned this afternoon by the jury in the case of George "Jiggs" Losteiner charged with the murder of Patrolman Patrick J. Gaffney of East Cleveland two years ago. The jury was out forty five hours.

New York Police Under Fire as Crime Sweeps City

MURDER, BURGLARIES AND HOLD-UPS IN HEART OF CITY ADD TO LONG LIST OF UNSOLVED DEEDS OF VIOLENCE

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Three more unsolved murder mysteries—one involving the theft of $100,000 in jewelry and one, the slaying of a police lieutenant—were chalked up today against a police department smarting under newspaper attacks for alleged inefficiency.

Most spectacular of the new and unsolved crimes was the holdup and murder yesterday afternoon in the heart of the Fifth avenue shopping district, of Edwin W. Andrews, wholesale jeweler. Three bandits shot and clubbed Andrews to death, gagged and bound three men who entered the store while they were collecting their loot and sauntered leisurely out into the milling crowds on the avenue.

A few hours later, shortly before midnight, police lieutenant Floyd Horton was mortally wounded by taxicab bandits at 146th street and Broadway, when he leaped on the running board of their car in an effort to capture them.

Almost at the same hour that Lieutenant Horton received his death wound, the body of a well dressed man, about 35 years of age was found bullet riddled on 107th street. His assassin or assassins had sent five bullets into him and made their escape without leaving a tangible clue. Even the victim's name remained unknown this morning.

Besides these cases, police still were grappling today with the daring daylight holdup on Wednesday of four guests at the Astor hotel, in the "roaring forties" on Broadway. One of three holdup men was captured by guests, but the other two made their escapes and the police so far have been unable to trace them.

The Andrews murder and robbery drew expressions of alarm from the Sterling Silver manufacturers association to which Andrews belonged. The association drafted letters to Governor Smith and Mayor Hylan, protesting against alleged police laxity and hints were given out by some members that a "vigilance committee" might be formed.

LAZOS CONVICTED OF SECOND DEGREE MURDER

Steve Lazos of Lorain was convicted of second degree murder last night about eight o'clock, after the jury had been in session behind closed doors for nearly five hours.

Judge Redington gave his charge to the jury in the afternoon, taking about one-half hour's time. Attorneys who heard the charge all declared it was one of the clearest and fairest charges they ever heard. Attorney Hasselman, who represented Lazos, said that he was perfectly satisfied with it and could not ask for any better treatment than he received at the hands of the court.

Lazos listened closely to the charge, in which the Judge outlined to the jury the difference between first degree murder, second degree murder, and manslaughter, and seemed entirely at his ease. When the verdict was given a formal motion was made for a new trial and Lazos will not be sentenced until after the motion has been heard.

In bringing in a second degree verdict the jury maintained the record of the county of never having sent a Lorain county man to the chair.

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Farmers of Lorain County Have Plenty Of Help at Present

FARM BUREAU HAS ENCOUNTERED WONDERFUL GROWTH DURING THREE YEARS OF OPERATION — SOLVES FARMERS' NEED—NOW HAS 1592 MEMBERS

Although the Lorain County Farm Buearu association is but three years old, it boasts of 1,592 members, a very small per cent of the tillers of the soil in this county, not being affiliated with the organization.

The farm bureau sprang into existence during the war when there was a far-reaching demand that every available foot of land be cultivated in order to supply the world with the necessary foodstuffs.

Co-Operation Helps

Shortly after that the farmers discovered that it was a difficult task for them to secure a supply of seed potatoes and the farm bureau set about to supply their needs and it soon became apparent that such an organization could be of immense value to the farmer in solving the problems problems which confronted him.

Today the Lorain County Farm Bureau is not only a flourishing organization in a position to render any service which may tend to improve the conditions on the farm or in opening new channels of trade, through which the food producer may be benefitted.

Co-operation and organization are the chief objects which the farm bureau urges its members to consider and as a result better [illegible] is assured and the farmer is rapidly approaching the point where his crops will eventually be placed upon the market without the middleman and a few other non-essential agents, entering into the transaction between the producer and the consumer.

At the present time there are five co-operative elevators being operated in Lorain county, by members of the farm bureau association and another company will elect officers at Amherst Friday night and proceed to operate at an early date.

Favors Progress

Cheaper methods of producing foodstuffs, providing the members with general information of interest to farmers, securing good roads, procuring better legislation to protect farming, as well as to furnish farm labor, are a few of the more important tasks which the Lorain County Farm Bureau association has undertaken to handle.

Acording to ounty Agent Howadr Rogers, many men and women who are out of employment are returning to the farms and while there are a few of them who demand wages which existed during the war, most of them are glad to be assured of a fair day's pay and three square meals per diem.

Few requests have been received from the rural districts of late, for farm help, so it is apparent that the farmers are not suffering from a lack of hands to carry on the work required on the farm or in the dairy.

Many States Have Mothers' Pensions

Forty out of the 48 states have now adopted some form of Mothers' Pension, according to facts made public today in the Annual Report of the Chief of the Children's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor. They have recognized the principle that children should not be taken from their mothers because of poverty alone. The rapid extension of the Mothers' Pension movement indicates the general belief of the country in the paramount value of home life and a mother's care.

However, although large grants have been made in many of our States, the amounts in general are far too small. The increased cost of living has not been met and the full purpose of the laws is not attained. Some of the States are now making careful studies of increased costs so that allowances may respond to the higher prices.

The systems of administration vary widely in the different States. So also do the amount of the allowances and the methods of supervision. The Children's Bureau points the necessity of making a careful investigation of the methods in use in all the States so that the country may be given the benefit of all the experience which has been gained through the operation of these laws.

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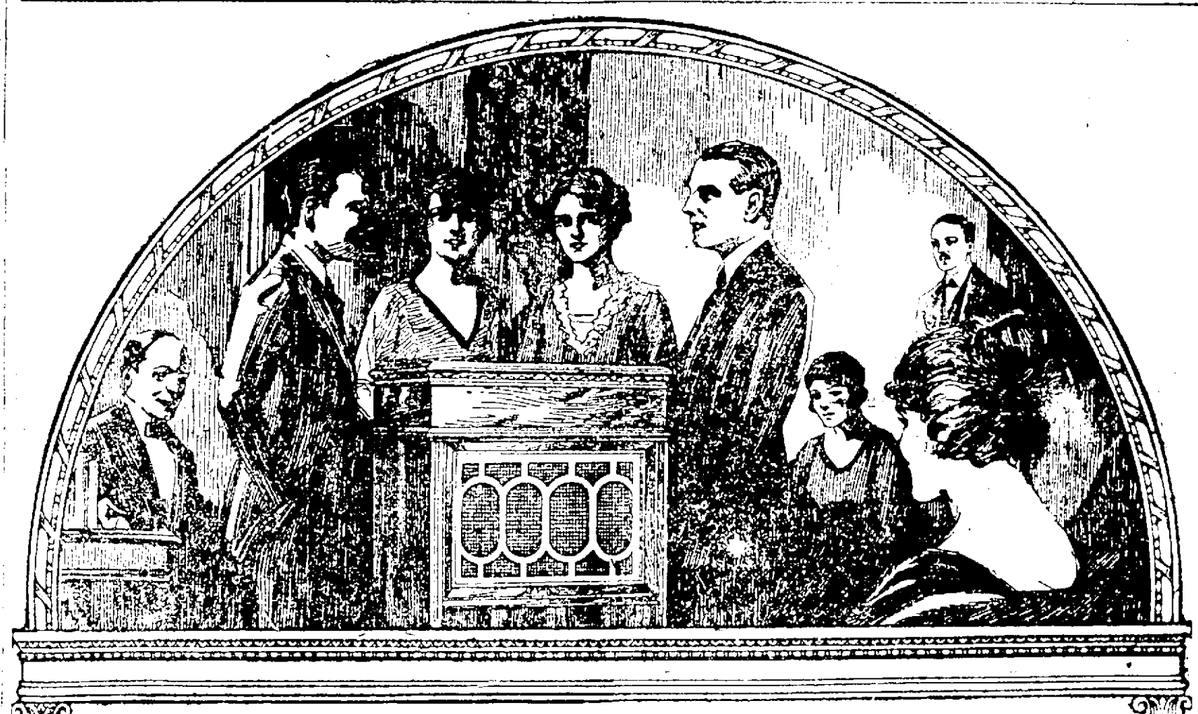

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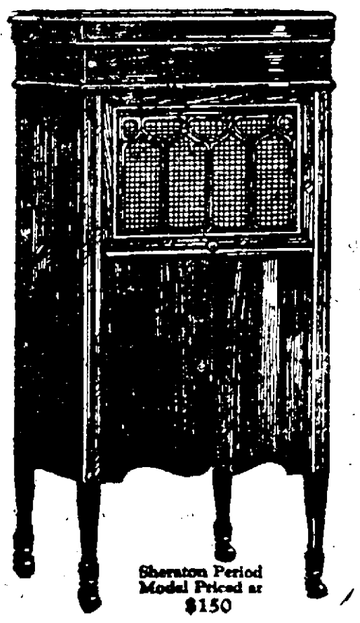

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Has Weather Eye For First Snow

Park commissioner F. O. Wilford is earnestly hoping for a good fall of snow so that the toboggan hill in Reefy park can be tried out since its recent repairs

Wilford has spent considerable time superintending the job and has had all the rough places smoothed off so that it is perfectly safe for either coasting or tobogganing

At least one city employee John Conaboy, is not interested in having the slide opened John made the slide last winter and still feels the effect of it, having made the biggest high dive on record

Wilford says that this hill will furnish sport for the entire city when the snow arrives and expects both old and young will take advantage of the opportunity

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For crippling effects of colds that settle in the joints and cause painful ailments as stiff neck, lame back, sore feet and twinges at the hip, knee or elbow, bathe the afflicted part with warm water and dry thoroughly in order to get the pores of the skin well open. Then, apply Krew-Pina liberally. Don't be afraid to rub it in—it won't blister. Massage the flesh about the sore joint.

For internal inflammations apply to the surface over the affected parts and in the nostrils upon retiring. Then draw the bed clothes in over the nose and inhale the medicinal vapors the warmth of the body causes Krew-Pina to give off.

Krew-Pina owes its tremendous success in relieving colds, croup, sore throat, lumbago, neuralgia, burns, cuts, bruises, sprains and other household ailments to the virtue of the simple home remedies of which it is entirely compounded and the scientific exactness of the formula which determines their proportions and makes the ointment both powerful and positively harmless. Get a jar from your druggist

Free Sample of Krew-Pina WILL BE SENT TO ANY ADDRESS ON REQUEST.
THE KREW-PINA CO., INC. WAYNESBURG, PA.

Thompson's Little Plumber

Let us tell you of something that will make your wife happy. Place in her kitchen and bathroom the plumbing and the accessories that she told you about such a long time ago. Don't you think that it would surprise her and please her We do.

THOMPSON, THE PLUMBER
Phone 2806

THE ELYRIA MARKET & STORAGE CO.

THE ONLY REAL MARKET IN ELYRIA!

DO YOU REALIZE THAT BY SHOPPING IN THIS SANITARY MARKET YOU CAN AFFECT A SAVINGS OF AT LEAST 15 TO 20 PER CENT ON EACH AND EVERY PURCHASE—BY THE LARGE TURNOVERS THE MERCHANTS IN THIS MARKET ARE ENABLED TO OPERATE ON A MUCH SMALLER MARGIN OF PROFIT THAN OTHER MERCHANTS. A VARIETY OF FOODSTUFFS, QUALITY TO SUIT YOUR TASTE, PRICES TO SUIT YOUR POCKETBOOK. EVERYTHING PROPERLY DISPLAYED IN SANITARY CASES, ALLOWS YOU TO SELECT THE CHOICE OF EVERYTHING ON DISPLAY.

Saturday Bargains

FRESH AND SALT MEATS—POULTRY

BEEF ROAST, POUND	20c	VEAL ROASTS, POUND	30c
PORK LOIN ROAST, POUND	25c	CALA HAMS, POUND	25c
PORK SHOULDER, POUND	22c	BACON, POUND	35c
ROUND STEAK, POUND	32c	PORK CHOPS, POUND	25c
SIRLOIN STEAK, POUND	32c	HAMBURG, POUND	20c

THESE MEAT BARGAINS TO BE HAD AT EACH AND EVERY MEAT STAND

COME! COME! FREE!
A Heinz Demonstration of Pure Foods

Heinz Creamed Tomato Soup, 2 cans 25c Regular 15c cans
Heinz Cream Tomato Soup, 2 cans ..30c Regular price 50c
Heinz Fig and Plum Pudding, can ..53c Regular price 60c
Heinz Peanut Butter, large jar .....33c Regular Price 50c
Heinz Baked Beans, 3 cans .....50c Regular Price 20c
Also all kinds of Heinz Pickles Try Some
COME! COME! COME!
SAM SHINDLE

STALLS 1—2—3
SUGAR SUGAR SUGAR
10 POUNDS FOR 93c
2 cans Early June Sifted Peas (regular 20c each) Saturday only 25c
2 cans Good Brand Corn 25c
2 cans Milk 25c
Jello (fresh stock) all flavors Regular 18c each, 2 for 25c
4 pound Michigan Hand Picked Navy Beans 25c
10 Bars Star Soap 73c
3 Climalene 25c
3 Dutch Cleanser 25c
Good Broom for 49c
Rose Blend Coffee, 3 lbs for.....$1.00
Bulk Green Tea, per pound 63c
We have a full line of Citron, Orange Peel, Lemon Peel and All Kinds of Nuts
STALLS 25—26
2 lbs. Good Luck Oleo 75c
2 lbs Nut Spread Oleo $1.00
Apple Butter in bulk, per lb.....18c
Peanut Butter in bulk, per lb.....25c
Sweet Pickles, per dozen 25c
Fresh Churned Butter and Strictly Fresh Eggs
York State Mild Cheese at Lowest Prices
Also a full line of Olives, Pickles, Jellies and Jams in bulk. First stand at the right coming in

Lorain Creamery Co.

Stalls 23-24
NOTICE OUR PRICES AND QUALITY THEY BOTH GO TOGETHER

Guaranteed fresh eggs, doz., 83c
Guaranteed storage eggs doz. 68c
Fresh churned Lorain butter lb. 55c
Fresh churned Chicago butter, lb , ... 51c
York state cheese, mild, lb., . 38c
York state cheese, sharp, lb. . 40c
Pecock cheese lb , ... 40c
Fancy brick cheese, lb., ... 38c
Swiss cheese, lb., ... 48c
Limberger cheese, lb., ... 40c
Large sour pickles, doz., ... 30c
Large dill pickles, doz , ... 25c
Pickled pig feet, 2 lbs for ... 25c
Fresh made peanut butter, lb. 25c
Good Luck oleo, lb. 40c, 2 lbs. 79c
Purity oleo, lb., ... 40c
Purity nut oleo, lb., ... 33c
Delicia nut oleo, 3 lbs., ... $1.00
Downey Delight "The Quality Brand" 41c lb , 2 lbs., ... 80c
"Try It," The Best on the Market

WALK FARTHER WEST
YOU'LL DO BEST

CRASH!!!

Down Goes Prices on Food Stuffs!

STALLS 29—30
Fresh Churned Fancy Butter Best in Elyria, per lb. 55c
Fresh Churned Creamery Butter, lb .50c
Strictly Fresh Home Country Eggs, per dozen 90c
Select Iowa Eggs per dozen 77c
Guaranteed Eggs per dozen 65c
Fancy Limburger Cheese per lb.....37c
Mild Creamy York State Cheese, lb 35c
Special Mild Wisconsin Cheese, lb...37c
Genuine Peacock Brand Block Swiss, per pound 45c
Imported Wheel Swiss Cheese, per lb 50c
Fancy Brick Cheese per pound 35c
Good Luck Oleo 38c lb 2 lbs.....75c
Delicia Nut 33c lb , 2 lbs 65c
Purity Oleo 38c lb , 2 lbs.....75c
Purity Nut 33c lb , 2 lbs 65c
Sour Pickles, per dozen 20c
Fresh Bulk Mince Meat per lb.....25c
Special Heinz Sweet Relish per pint 25c
Quality and Service All Goods Guaranteed. Horseradish. We grind it fresh 15c per glass

H. L. JUNE

Only Creamery Stand at the Left

W. A. GERBER

Cooked meats of all kinds.
Pure pork sausage (no cereal) per lb. 25c
Special for Saturday only
Armour's Star Cewealot Summer Sausage at ,per lb., ... 65c

ELYRIA CHINA AND CROCKERY CO.

Stalls 6-7
Crockery and Glass Ware
Special for Saturday
6 Dinner Plates $1.00
6 Imported China Cups and Saucers $2.75
21 qt Blue and White Enamel Dish Pan $1.75

A. ROMBUS

Candy Store
Fresh Hand Dipped Chocolates All Flavors
Special Price, per lb., ... 58c

C. DIMTER

Fruits and Vegetables
Cabbage 1 1-2c per lb.
Stalls 39-40

REUBLIN BROS.

Granulated sugar, lb., ... 9 1-2c
2 packages Gold Medal Pancake Flour 25c
3 pounds Coffee $1.00
3 lbs New California Nuts $1.00
3 cans Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple ..$1.00
10 bars Polar White Soap 50c

M. LESNICK

Fish Stand
Fresh Oysters, direct from Baltimore
Standards, per qt., ... 65c
Extra Selects, per qt. 80c

NEW SYSTEM BAKERY

Special for Saturday
Maple Rolls, per doz., ... 15c
Bread, per loaf, ... 14c
Pecan Rolls, per doz., ... 40c

JOHNSON BROS.

Fruits and Vegetables
Potatoes, per peck, ... 37c
Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs. for .. 25c
See us for Xmas trees next week

NOONDAY LUNCHES AT RESTAURANT 40c

H. J. FOX

Stalls 41-42
Special for Saturday
Grape Fruits and Orange Man
6 nice Grapefruit 25c
1 doz. Naval Oranges 25c
Onions, per lb., ... 2c

Open All Day Wednesday Before Xmas—Thurs. and Friday Eve. Til 9:30

County Items, Briefs and Happenings in Adjoining Counties

W. C. T. U. INTITUTE AT EATON SUCCESSFUL

EATON, Dec 17—On Friday December 10th the W C T U held an institute at Eaton Center

The day being very bad a small number were present to enjoy the several interesting numbers on the program.

Mrs F. E. Schriver presided at both sessions. Miss Hinman of Oberlin County treasurer and Mrs Nellie Hill of Elyria County president spoke in the afternoon

A paper was given by Mrs Mary Dawley on the great work which now confronts the W. C T. U and Mrs. Mabel Bassett gave a paper on Law Enforcement.

Mr. J. F. Burke was listed on the program but owing to the bad weather and small attendance it was agreeably decided to have an address from him on a later date

There are many who little realize the great work being done by the numerous departments of the W C. T. U.

Now that the prohibition law has passed, it does not mean that the white ribbons are to disband. It only signifies that they must take courage to fight the evils that must be fought.

EATON PERSONALS

EATON, Dec 17.—Miss Ione Cole spent the week-end with Miss Ruth Ross of Ridgeville.

A very fine program is being prepared by the Sunday school to be given Christmas eve Although the plan of a white Christmas is changed the spirit of giving to others is emphasized as much as on the regular "White Christmas the sentiment for giving to the "near East Relief is very strong

The very encouraging news come from Mr and Mrs. Arthur Ross who are in Ashville, N. C, that Mr Ross has gained nine pounds since his arrival there in October

At the last Grange meeting a class was given the 3rd and 4th degrees.

The Grange play is on the way

Several from this place plan to attend the State Grange meeting in Cleveland this week Miss Vennie Noble Lecturer of Eaton Grange is sent by courtesy of the order

Mr. and Mrs M C Ross visited their son Raymond and family, in Carlisle, Sunday.

As the holiday season comes we hear wedding bells mingling with the Christmas chimes.

Earl Ross, who has been ill with bronchitis is able to be out

Grangers will hold an all day meeting on New Years day. As this is an open meeting friends are invited

Several of the dirt roads are being made passable by receiving a coating of cinders.

Work is progressing rapidly on the house which Wm. Vaughn is building at the center.

LaGRANGE

LAGRANGE, Dec. 17.—Mrs. W H Knowles and grandson, Edward visited Mrs. Myers of Lorain and Mrs Lois Vickery of Lakewood Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Jennie Hubbard and sister, Maude, Mrs Stang and Miss Jessie Sillo were shopping in Elyria Saturday.

Mrs. F. B. Gott spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Underhill and Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Gott of Elyria and also visited Cleveland friends

Malcolm Keiner was on the sick list last week

Leland Heath, Marion Johnson and Kenneth Law spent Saturday in Cleveland.

Mr. George Jackson who has been in Minnesota for the past few months, was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Jackson.

Mr. Clague of Dover was a business visitor in town Monday.

Mr. S. Dumas made a business trip to Elyria Monday.

Mrs. Frank Hopkins is receiving treatment at Memorial hospital

Mrs. C S. Adams and daughter, Algena, Mrs. C. A. Rawson, Misses Maude Stine and Helen Hutton, La Verda Gott, Lola Giar, Mrs. E. L Adams and daughter, Rosalie, Mrs F. L. Wolcott were shopping in Cleveland Saturday.

Mrs. R. B. Keiner has been spending a few days the past week with her parents in Columbia.

S. W. Keiner was in Cleveland on business the past week

E. L. Adams and Floyd Buswell atended a meeting of the executive committee of the Farmer's Institute in Grafton Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Barr and sons were shopping in Elyria Tuesday.

Mr. George Keiner of Oberlin spent Tuesday night with his brother, S. W. Keiner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keener are entertaining their daughter, Mrs Sidney Brouse for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibbons of Pittsfield were guests of Mr and Mrs. S. W. Keiner and other friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Charles Foster and family and Miss Erma Cooper and Mr. Schneer of Elyria visited Mr and Mrs. Paul Warner and family of Homer Sunday

Mrs Erma Warner and children of Homer were guests of her parents Thursday

The general committee on the Community Christmas Mrs. Paul Sage, Paul Sage Mrs Charles Adams, Mrs Lloyd Ingalls, Rev Knapp, H B Gott and O T Jacobs, met at the home of Charles Adams one evening last week and inaugurated plans for a Community Christmas for LaGrange Jacobs was elected chairman and Paul Sage, secretary The committee completed its plan by duly appointing the following committees Mr Jacobs, through the school to provide the tree program decorating of tree, and the raising of funds Mrs. Sage and Mrs Ira Wood committee to work with grade teachers of the school in getting ready the program J P Jackson to be custodian of funds The committee had its second meeting at the M. E. parsonage Monday evening Dec. 13, at which time some minor details were taken care of

The Christmas bazaar which was held in the M E church basement Wednesday Dec 8th was perhaps the largest in the history of the church the large sum of one hundred and fifty three dollars being cleared A booth for gifts from former members and friends of the church added much to the success of the bazaar and those who donated so generously have the heartiest thanks of the members of the old home church The dinner and supper were both fine as was attested by the large patronage given.

Mr. Darius Holcomb and Floyd Buswell attended Ohio State Grange in Cleveland this week

Judge Wilcox addresses the Parent-Teacher meeting at the Town Hall on last Thursday night on the topic "Juvenile Court His discussion was a good one and much appreciated by all those present Supt Jacobs also made a report on the result of the Scientific Tests given in our schools recently He pleaded for a higher standard of efficiency and everything points to advances at this point.

A large crowd patronized the second rendition of the "Farmerette" by the Tri-U Club in the Town Hall on last Friday evening

A big Community Christmas is under way at LaGrange The tree treat and program will be at the Town Hall on Christmas eve. The program will be given by the pupils of the lower grades in our schools, the money is being raised through the efforts of our mustling high school boys and girls the tree will be furnished by two of our hihg school boys, and the girls of the high school will do the decorating. The first day's canvass resulted in obtaining $100 dollars No other community in the county can excell LaGrange when it comes to an expression of "public spirit" We congratulate this community unreservedly on its splendid public spirit Good better, and bets things always come to such a community We want right here, to assure the community of the help of the schools in any and all worthy and helpful community undertakings The schools belong to the community and we want them to function back to the community that so cheerfully and so well supports the schools

Our village was somewhat lonely, Saturday because of so many leaving for Cleveland and Elyria to do Christmas shopping Most of our teachers were imigrants for the day

Letters from Miss Frances Cochrane one of our high school teachers who recently underwent an operation at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland, assure us of her expectation to be with us again at the opening of school after the Christmas vacation She is getting along very nicely and is now at her home at Cadiz Ohio

Rev Knapp and Rev Coon each conducted devotional services in our schools last week We are glad to have the ministers respond so cheerfully to our request to be with us for the opening exercisees in our schools occasionally.

J P Jackson and James Nichols took twelve of the high school boys to visit the Steel Mills at Lorain, Thursday Principal Jones also accompanied the boys This was a fine expression of school spirit on the part of Mr Jackson and Mr Nichols and proved to both highly enjoyable and profitable to the boys The twelve boys were those from the six years in the high school—two from each year—who made the highest average in their work for the second six weeks' work Mr Jackson has asked that the boys write a 500 word description of this visit and ofers a reward to the boy who writes the best article He further offers to provide transportation to the Ohio State-Oberlin Basketball game at Oberlin some time in January, to all pupils in our high school who will bring their lowest grade up ten points in the third six weeks of the work We accept and are out to win this trip. Thanks!

The Junior class play at the Town Hall Saturday evening Dec 18 at 8 o clock

Mrs Ford Hastings spent several days with Cleveland relatives and also attended the State Grange

AVON

AVON Dec 17—Mr and Mrs Mittelstad and children have moved onto their farm, formerly owned by Ed Brown

Miss Emma Klinker is visiting relatives in Cleveland

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Fitch of Rocky River, and Mrs Margaret Smith and son Harold, attended services at Rev. A A Hunter's church in Amherst Sunday morning

Miss Corda Peck of Barberton spent the week end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs B C Peck

Miss Bernice Cole spent Friday night with her mother Mrs Nina Cole

Mr. and Mrs Tuttle and family have moved from North Olmstead into the house formerly occupied by Mr and Mrs. Clyde MacAllister

Evelyn Walker is confined to her home with the Chickenpox.

Miss Rhea Walker and brother Hugh of Coldwater, Mich., returned to their home last Friday, after spending several weeks with Ohio friends

Miss M A Webber spent Monday in Cleveland

Mr and Mrs Antone Helfrich visited relatives in Cleveland recently.

Miss Ada Phinney of Lorain was the week end guest for her sister, Mrs Charles Wilford

Mr and Mrs Fred Dambach and children of Cleveland spent Sunday at the home of Miss Kate Dechant

SOUTH RIDGE

SOUTH RIDGE, Dec. 17.—Miss Ruth Fowl was given a pleasant surprise on Monday evening Dec 13 when nearly fifty relatives and friends gathered at her home to remind her of her 18th birthday anniversary. The evening was spent with music and games. She received many beautiful gifts. Lunch was served.

Mr and Mrs Geo Knittle are in Cleveland this week attending the State Grange meeting

Mr. and Mrs Carl Plocher and children and Miss Kate Spiegelberg of Elyria were guests on Sunday at the home of Lewis Spiegelberg and family.

Miss Ruth Fowl spent the week end with her cousin, Miss Amelia Bechtel in Amherst

Mr and Mrs Albert Vietzen and children visited her mother, Mrs J J. Buswell on Sunday

Misses Lydia and Ethel Thompson of Cleveland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs Joshua Thompson

Harold Handke, of Cleveland is spendin this week with his parents Rev and Mrs F Handke.

Mrs. Elmer Dunlap entertained relatives from Oberlin Sunday

Mr and Mrs Edward Stang and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Fred Stark, in Amherst.

Mrs Henry Delefield, Mrs V Cook and Miss Mary Meiska visited with Mrs Henry Haag on Thursday

Mr and Mrs Milton Eppley entertained as their guests on Sunday Mr and Mrs Moses Eppley and Mr and Mrs Ralph Fowl

Albert Vietzen and family called on A Schroeder and family of the Abbe Road Dec 12

Mrs Geo Lafbacher, mother of Mrs F Handke who is spending an indefinite time her received a postal card shower on her birthday Dec 12 She received 40 cards

Mrs Mary Peabody of Oberlin, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs Leo Hanlon

Mrs Geo Vogler of Elyria attended the Woman's Missionary society meeting here on Thursday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Frank Laraway entertained friends from Dover on Sunday.

Misses Florence Handke and Helen Stang and Owen Bozon and George Rarrick were entertained on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs Herbert Stang on Murray Ridge

Melvin Grills of West Ridge called on his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs C J Smith recently.

Lawrence Eckenfels entertained twelve friends at a card party at his home on Saturday evening At a late hour a delicious lunch was served

Wm Spiegelberg and family visited at the home of Mr and Mrs Walter Grobe on Sunday

Miss Ruth Fowl entertained on Sunday the Misses Mable and Lorna Refenning

The D. D. club held their annual election on Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Amelia Bechtel in Amherst Officers elected for the coming year as follows President Marie Schmitzkons vice president Lucille Fowl secretary Eliza Dute and treasurer Ruth Kolbe Those in atendance from here were Mrs. Lucile Fowl, Mras Edna Grobe, Mrs Edna Vietzen, Miss Ruby Bechtel Miss Florence Dranum and Miss Mable Dahn

Geo Thompson of Elyria visited his parents, Mr and Mrs. Joshua Thompson on Sunday

Mr and Mrs A Madill of Lorain were Sunday guests at the home of Geo Knittle.

Mrs Anthony Ernst entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. Burham and daughter Mable, Wm Miller and family and Miss Schalble of Cleveland

Mr and Mrs Clarence Cook spent a few days last week in Columbus

Mr and Mrs Anthony Delefield entertained friends from Cleveland on Sunday

Xmas sweaters at reduced prices at The Robinson & Hancock Co.

BAKER'S CROSSING

BAKERS CROSSING Dec. 17 — M W Laboni was called to Wellington Saturday by the illness of his wife She was on the gain again Tuesday when he returned home

Rev Wolford of Ashland College spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of O H Dirlam

Rev Wolford preached at the Huntington Comunity Church Sunday morning.

Misses Neva and Florence Hewitt left Monday afternoon on a week's visit with relatives and friends at Kipton Oberlin and Birmingham

Mr and Mrs O H Dirlam spent Monday with their son, Ray at Sullivan Ohio

Miss Lonetta Furnee of Kansas was a caller at the home of R. H Heifner's Tuesday.

Threshing Rings Very Successful

WOOSTER, Dec 17—One of the most successful co operative organizations among Ohio farmers is that of thresher and silo filling rings, according to a bulletin on 'Organization among Ohio Farmers,' recently issued from the Ohio Experiment Station Wooster.

In these rings farmers own their own threshing machines, engines clover hullers shredders and silo fillers A general plan is for a number of farmers to buy the outfits and hire a man to operate them charging each man so much per bushel, but at the end of the season returning to the ring members a prorata of the amount of money invested

Through these organizations it has been possible to cut down the cost of threshing and also to get work done before grain is destroyed or lost through adverse weather conditions

Where adequate provision for managing and safeguarding the equipment used is provided these organizations have been quite successful.

Ohio In Forestry Work

Programs for forest restoration throughout the United States now being launched by the National government in cooperation with the states may aid Ohio in taking care of much of the non-agricultural land in the southern part of the state.

The plan proposes a federal appropriation to be distributed among several forest states Funds are to be used for the control of forest fires, establishment of nurseries and for assisting private owners in the reforesting of their lands and the improvement of native woodlands

The proposed plan will operate much as the Smith Lever law does in agricultural etension but will be broader in its application since it will aid all phases of forestry needs

Funds will be available to those states which make appropriations for forestry work The federal government gives dollar for dollar to the funds appropriated by the states.

Make Disease Survey

A plant disease survey is being compiled by the botanists of the Ohio Experimenting Station and Ohio State University This survey will aid in determining what plant diseases have been found most destructive during the past year and methods of controlling them in the future

Efforts are also being made to interest farmers and fruit growers in a complete spraying program next year It is found that many spray early in the season but have neglected the late sprays which are necessary to keep fruit from rotting

Late sprays applied to peaches during the past season made it possible to keep fruit in good condition until it ripened Unsprayed fruit generally rotted before it could be sold

The survey will also include diseases which attack potato and field crops

Christmas will seem brighter if wearing a suit Dry Cleaned by Fauver & Robson.

Mens silk shirts, beautiful colors, $6.75 values up to $10.00. The Robinson & Hancock Co.

DON'T BE BALD

Thin-haired readers of this paper should begin using Parisian Sage at once and escape being hairless C W Phillips sells it with guarantee to stop falling hair and itching scalp, and banish all dandruff or money refunded

RELIABLE SHOE REPAIRING AT CUT PRICES

We attach Wingfoot, O'Sullivan. I. T. S., Hills, National and Cat's Paw Rubber Heels.

Our Men's Dependable Shoes Can't Be Beat in Prices

Shoe ECONOMY Shop

53 East Avenue

Read The Chronicle-Telegram Want Ads.

Purity NUT MARGARIN

HOT ROLLS are much better if you spread them with rich golden Purity Nut Margarin. More than that you will appreciate the saving that comes by the constant use of Purity. All good grocers sell Purity.

THE ERIE FOOD PRODUCTS CO
Elyria, Ohio
Wholesale Distributor

Saves - Serves - Satisfies

Style II

The Kiddies, Too, Will Enjoy This Christmas Gift

Surprise and delight the whole family this Christmas. Give the gift that gives what everyone loves—the gift of pure music—the

Starr PHONOGRAPH

"THE DIFFERENCE IS IN THE TONE"

The longer you play it the sweeter it grows. Beautiful styles.

Come in and hear them. $10 to $25.00 worth of Records included on your contract with our EASY PAYMENT PLAN. PRICES and TERMS to suit all purchasers.

The Starr Piano Co.

316 Broad Street—Elyria—Phone 2905

The Elyria Hardware Co.

Offers Unusual Bargains and Large Numbers of Presents to pick from. For Father and Mother, select one of the following:

ROASTERS	$1.75 to $7.00
ELECTRIC IRONS	$6.50 to $10.00
READING LAMPS	$6.00 to $28.00
LUNCH KITS,	$4.75 to $5.00
CASSEROLES	$5.00 to $12.00
PYREX WARE	.20 to $12.00
PERCOLATORS	$3.75 to $25.00
CARVING SETS,	$4.50 to $10.00
THERMOS BOTTLES	$3.00 to $10.00
TEA KETTLES	$3.00 to $8.00
COFFEE POTS	$1.50 to $4.00
TEA POTS	$1.50 to $4.00
FAMILY SCALES	$3.00 to $4.75
DUST MOPS	$1.00 to $2.00
FOOD CHOPPERS	$2.25 to $4.50
SHAVING MIRRORS	$6.00 to $11.00
BREAD BOXES	$1.50 to $2.50
ALUMINUM WARE	All Prices

Cut out this advertisement and avail yourselves of our complete stock

Holiday Shoppers !!!

Please Shop In The Morning — If Possible —

Hundreds Of Useful Gifts Displayed Within Your Reach, at Very Reasonable Prices

DJER-KISS and MAVIS TOILET SETS

Djerkiss Set containing one bottle of toilet water, face powder and talcum, packed in a neat lined box will make a splendid gift, your choice

$2.98

Other DJer Kiss Sets ranging $3.98 to $6.95

Mavis Set, containing one bottle of toilet water, one bottle of perfume and face and talcum powder, packed in a box at . . $2.69

Mavis Toilet Water	98c
Ben-Hur Perfume	$1.39
Djergins Toilet Water	79c
Djer-Kiss Toilet Water	$1.10

USEFUL GIFTS FOR MEN

DRESS SHIRTS

A man will always appreciate a good shirt. You can choose of madrass, crepe, percales, or crepe de chine silks in a splendid assortment of patterns, choice

$1.49 to $7.95

MEN'S TIES

Choice of pure silk four in hand also silk knitted ties, your friend, brother or husband will always remember you In a big selection to choose from

69c to $1.49

SPECIAL

Boudoir Caps packed in Boxes 59c to $1.49

Fancy Turkish Towels 98c

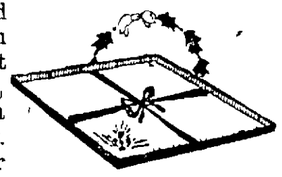
Silk Hose for Women, on sale Main Floor 98c to $1.98

Boys' Mackinaws. Sale $6.95 On Sale Main Floor

Girls' Fur Sets, on Sale Second Floor $2.98 to $7.95

Hundreds of Boxed Handkerchiefs

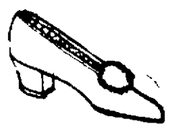
Will make a splendid Christmas Gift, plain white or white with pretty embroidered corners, packed 3, 4 and 6 in a beautiful holiday box. For your mother, sister or sweetheart, choice



24c to $1.69

Men's or Ladies Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, neat hemstitched border at . . . . . 24c and 49c

SOFT SLIPPERS



For the girls, a pretty soft slipper in pink, blue, lavender and many other colors, sizes 2 3 and 4 only, your choice 69c

Ladies' Kid gloves,	$1.98
Men's lined gloves,	$1.98
Children's leather gloves,	$1.39
Silk camisoles,	98c
Crepe de chine chemise,	$1.98
Jersey over blouses,	$4.95

DOLLS — Dressed or undressed dolls, a big assortment 49c to $8.75

TRAINS — American Flyer good engines and tracks $1.25 to $3.98

CUT GLASS — In a large assortment of cut glass on sale second floor 69c to $1.69.

TOYS — In various kinds displayed on second floor 49c to $1.98.

GO WHERE THE CROWDS GO

LEADING UNDERSELLING STORE
ELYRIA DRY GOODS CO.
337 BROAD STREET

THE MOST FOR YOUR MONEY

ALBANIA ADMITTED INTO THE LEAGUE

GENEVA, Dec. 17—Albania was elected a member of the league of nations by the assembly of the league here this morning.

Immediately after the opening of today's session of the assembly, Lord Robert Cecil, although appointed to make a report on the league took the principal closing speech.

The aplications of Albania before the assembly today, Albania being the only one having a chance for admission. The committee on admission of new states was unanimously adverse to granting membership to the other two, but Albania had strong partisans in Lord Robert Cecil, representative for South Africa and N. W. Rowell, of Canada, who, contrary to precedent found themselves agreed on this question. During yesterday's voting the British empire was divided on Africa and Canada voting against Great Britain on the admission of Georgia; Canada voting against South Africa and Great Britain regarding Armenia, and Australia abstaining from voting when the application of Bulgaria was before the assembly. The action of the rejection of the aplications of Baltic states and Georgia was due largely to American influence. The committee had before it a document containing the note sent on August 10 to the Italian ambassador by Bainbridge Colby, American secretary of state, who stated the United States policy was that decision should be held in abeyance concerning territories carved out of the former Russian empire. It seemed probable that American objections to giving control of Albania to any other country would be invoked today in favor of its admission to the league. It was also argued that, since Albania is surounded by present members of the league, no risk was incurred under article ten of the league covenant, if she should be admitted.

JOYCE TESTIFIES AGAINST M'GANNON

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17—In the same court room in which about a month ago William M. McGannon chief justice of the municipal court testified as the principal witness for the prosecution in the John W. Joyce for the slaying of Harold C. Kagy, Joyce this morning took the stand as one of the state's star witnesses against Judge McGannon, now on trial for the crime of which Joyce was acquitted the slaying of Kagy.

Joyce was the second witness called for the state when the taking of testimony was begun this morning.

On Joyce's testimony, County Prosecutor Richard A. Boskin bases his main hope of convicting McGannon, just as she relied on McGannon's story to secure a verdict of guilty when the positions of McGannon and Joyce were reversed.

HOLD TREASURER AS EMBEZZLER

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 17—William Bush, secretary and treasurer of the Wilmington Savings and society, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with embezzlement of securities owned by the society, valued at $200,000. At a hearing before the magistrate he was held in $100,000 bail for general sessions court.

FOUND HYPO-COD IDEAL TONIC TO STRENGTHEN HER

Appetite Returned, Nerves Become Steady and She Felt Much Better

DON'T GET TIRED LIKE SHE DID

"I suffered from a rundown condition. My husband has been sick for a long time with dropsy and heart trouble and taking care of him has been too much for me. I felt so I had no ambition or energy to do anything; I just could hardly drag myself around. The least little bit of housework nearly tired me to death. I couldn't eat or sleep. I had become nervous and at times had dreadful headaches," declared Mrs. Otto whose address is given below.

"I saw Earle's Hypo-Cod advertised and since taking it I have found it helped greatly; I feel lots stronger, have more energy and can do more work and do it easier. I don't get tired like I did. I can eat anything and my appetite is fine. My nerves are steadier and I find my sleep rest me more. I really feel so much better that I tell everyone about Hypo-Cod. It is the greatest remedy I have ever seen and I have used a good many in my time. I believe it to be a good tonic and revitalizer," continued Mrs. Richard Otto, 7816 Hegate Ave., Cleveland, O.

Frail, thin blooded, nervous women should not permit their system to become so weak. They need tonic to enrich their blood; give them added weight, strength and color, Red rosy cheeks and vitality. Perhaps overwork and worry cause the breakdown like the lady above. If so simply get a couple bottles of Earle's Hypo-Cod and build yourself up. Come down to the drug store tonight and get a bottle of the genuine Earle's Hypo-Cod that thousands of users say so good. (Read formula on bottle.)

Earle's Hypo-Cod is sold here by all good druggists and the leading druggists in all nearby towns.

—Adv.

HOUSE OF LORDS OPPOSE IRISH BILL

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Members of the house of lords who have stood firmly against the Irish home rule bill as passed by the house of commons were in consultation with members of the government over night, it is understood, trying to arrange some sort of compromise relative to the measure.

It was asserted here this morning that the virtual deadlock between the two houses of parliament must be compromised or the bill would be lost and the home rule measure of 1914 would automatically become a law as soon as ratification of the Turkish treaty formally ends the war.

Developments are being awaited with curiosity and anxiety. The action of the house of lords in amending the home rule bill was tantamount to rejection of the measure and the insistence of commons upon the original bill seems to have placed the fate of legislation in the balance.

Oberlin Personals

Mrs. E. P. Raitson of North Pleasant street, who has been quite ill for several weeks is reported somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Morrison visited in Cleveland over Sunday.

Mrs. A. P. Behr is quite ill at her home on Elm street.

O. E. Peobody who has been quite ill for some time is reported to be somewhat improved today.

Mrs. George Smith, of Woodland avenue is expecting her daughter, Prof. Isabele S. Smith of Illinois College, Jacksonville, Illinois, to arrive home Saturday for the holidays.

Mrs. H. A. Miller and son Maurice left recently, for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Prof. C. W. Morrison, director of the Oberlin Conservatory, is leaving for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he will spend the holiday season with his daughter, Mrs. Robert Riggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Squires and family left Wednesday for Florida where they will spend the winter months.

Mrs. Howard Arnholt of Loudonville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fowers, of South Main street, during the first of the week.

Prof. Bruce Davis leaves next week for Cocoanut Grove, Florida, where he will spend the holidays.

The members of the Oberlin Fire Department held their annual dinner at Martin Inn on Monday evening. The firemen considered a proposition submitted by certain business men that the organization serve as a special police squad in case of any exigency. No action was taken regarding the matter.

Rev. Frank W. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Church, returned Monday from St. Luke's Hospital in Cleveland where he has been confined since recently undergoing an operation at that hospital.

AKRON FIRMS NOTIFY THOUSANDS OF MEN OF COMING WORK

AKRON, Dec. 17.—The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company has notified 9,000 of the workers who were laid off some time ago, to report for work, January 1, at which time the output of the factory will be increased from 6,500 to 12,000 tires.

The Oakland Motor Car Company and the Jordan Motor Company are two other concerns when report that operations have been resumed in those plants, furnishing employment to many men and women.

CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES MAKE BUSY DAYS AT SETTLEMENT HOUSE

There is a sign conspicuously posted at the Settlement House, which reads "Only 7 Days Till Christmas," and a glance at the calendar of activities there for the week is enough to assure one that they are to be busy days.

This morning the 30 kindergarten youngsters enjoyed their Xmas party on their last school day.

All of the regular classes are busy making gifts suitable for the holiday season.

On Tuesday evening the students at the Ridge street night school, with their teachers, Mr. Bailey of Oberlin and Miss Gill will entertain their friends at the school building. Moving pictures and a musical program will be the entertainment.

The annual Xmas entertainment will be given at the Settlement House next Thursday evening at 7:30. A little playlet "The Christmas Child," will be presented together with musical numbers and readings. This will be open to the public.

The annual meeting of the American Indian Council will be held in the parlors of the First Congregational church this evening at seven thirty.

HAIR PILED IN SIMPLE FASHION HIGH ON THE HEAD IS POPULAR NEW STYLE

Here is a soft and pretty new coiffure which is sure to please. The hair, if not naturally curly, can be marcelled to look as pretty as this. It is parted on the side, combed back softly over the forehead and ears and then knotted up softly high at the back of the head, making a very pretty profile and a good style for evening or more formal wear.

LATE MARKET REPORTS

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Butter unchanged.

Eggs lower; receipts 723 cases, firsts 68 @ 69c; ordinary firsts 60 @ 64c; at mark, cases included 59 @ 64c; refrigerator firsts 56 @ 67.

Poultry alive unchanged.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17.—Cattle receipts 625, slow and dull, steady. Good to choice veal calves $13.50 @ $14.00.

Cattle receipts two hundred $12.00 @ $13.00, fair to good $6 @ $10.00.

Sheep and lambs receipts 1500, market 50 cents lower. Good to choice lambs $11.0 @ $11.50; fair to good $7.00 @ $10.00; good to choice sheep, $4.00 @ $4.50; fair to good $2.00 @ $2.50.

Hogs receipts 3000, market 15c higher. Yorkers and pigs and lights $9.75; mixed $9.40; roughs $7.75; stags $6.50.

CINCINNATI WOMAN REMEMBERS FIREMEN

CINCINNATI, Dec. 17.—In memory of her husband who always was a friend to the city firemen, Mrs. Margaret Kyle, whose will was probated today, bequeathed her residence valued at $25,000 to the firemen's relief fund. Her sister, however, is to have ocupancy of the homestead during her life time.

The Lane Seminary operated by the presbyterian church is given $20,000. Real estate valued at $75,000 also is given to the seminary. Smaller bequests wree made to almost every charitable institution in this city.

Our men's 25c black cotton hose, six pair for $1.00. The Robinson & Hancock Co.

TELLS OF BRITISH PLOT TO HINDER U. S. SHIPPING

William Denman.

Before the Walsh congressional committee investigating the shipping board's activities, William Denman, first chairman of the board, startled the committee by revealing what he termed a plot by the British government to hamper construction of a formidable U. S. merchant marine. The British plan, formulated during the war, was to close steel shipyards with British orders and force the U. S. to build wooden ships which would be valueless in post-war competition for international trade, according to Denman.

NEWS NOTES IN MOVIE

Wesley Barry wishes everybody a Merry Christmas, and especially every freckled faced boy. He got all dressed up in a Santa Claus makeup and some holly and had his picture taken to send out to his friends. He makes a pretty jolly looking Santa, even if he is freckle faced and has his makeup on crooked.

Wesley's most recent picture is "Dinty" which has been called lively and amusing by critics. This youngster is one of the most popular of the screen children and it is his personality and real boy and human traits which make him so amusing and entertaining to young and old alike.

KIWANIS CLUB FULL OF PEP, MAKE CLAIM

Members of the Kiwanis Club at the regular session yesterday afternoon accomplished considerable in a short period of time as was chronicled in yesterday's edition and additional vim was given their efforts as a result of the splendid program provided by a quartette from the Macon Institute of Macon, Georgia, who tendered many old time Southern songs in a manner that delighted of those present. Their own accompanist showed rare capability as a pianist, while their leader delighted Kiwanians with a recital of the accomplishments of the organization from its inception to date.

It was the unanimous sense of the meeting that a New Years party should be held on December 31, to which will be invited the wives, sweethearts and sisters of all its membership. The committee promises an entertainment for this occasion that will surpass all previous efforts of the organization, which is ample assurance that it will be an event that will long be remembered.

The Christmas Seal committee reported the sale of over $200 worth of stamps and its chairman stated that this sum would be considerably augumented before Christmas Day.

When the fact that this organization further voted a guarantee of $1000 available for the immediate needs of those out of employment in Elyria and incidently partook of a five course luncheon all in a period of eighty minutes, it is self evident that Kiwanians do not move slowly when they get together.

ELYRIA RESIDENTS ACCORD WORKERS SPLENDID RECEPTION

Forty one of the forty eight First Congregational laymen who conducted the every member canvass of the parish last Sunday afternoon gathered about well filled tables in the Gates Room Thursday evening to make their report and to recite their experiences.

Members of the Guild served a dinner of fine and complimentary nature, and then one by one, each team captain presented a summary of his work.

Out of 755 persons to be called upon, 5 had been interviewed and made subscriptions. Almost without exception gains were reported over last year, in some cases reaching an especially high percentage on the benevolence side.

The returns are incomplete but it is safe to report on the basis of the work of Sunday afternoon and the following week now in progress that the church will receive support in the fullest met, and that the subscriptions and additional receipts for benevolence before the end of 1921 will amount to approximately twice what was included in 1919 on the regular apportionment, and two and half times the amount raised in 1918.

Many expressions were heard of the splendid spirit manifested by canvassers at every home and of the cordial spirit in which their errand was received. Congratulations coupled with assured hopes of a notable new year in the life of the church.

POLICE HUNT MISSING GIRL

DETROIT, Dec. 17.—A search of deserted summer cottages and hunting lodges on islands in the lower Detroit river was begun by police today, in an effort to find Miss Mary E. Caldwell, who disappeared Wednesday night. Search of the islands was decided upon after one of the girls gloves, containing a note from her had been picked up in a street near the river. The note said she was about to be "taken away by four men in a boat."

The attention of the authorities was centered upon the unfrequented islands recently by stories that bands of rum runners had taken up headquarters there. Miss Caldwell, 18 years old, came here from the south several months ago.

RETURNS FROM 13 YEARS IN CONVENT OF ASSUMPTION

Dorothy Morris.

Dorothy Morris of Youngstown, O., recently returned to the U. S. from Europe after spending thirteen years in the convent of the Assumption. She was photographed on her arrival in New York.

PUBLIC RESPONDS TO WOMAN'S APPEAL

Not only did she secure all the washings she can possibly handle herself, but so many customers were secured that several other women who [illegible] family washings will be sup[illegible] work.

This was [illegible] to the appeal made [illegible] C. Gilman, of the Associated Charities, that the mother of five children was seeking laundry work.

BRECKSVILLE, O., Dec. 17.—A thousand dollars in cash and many valuable paper were taken from thirty safe deposit vaults of the Brecksville Banking Company last night by burglars who used an acetylene torch in burning the locks off the boxes.

A small safe containing $5000 escaped attention of the burglars. The robbery was discovered when the bank was opened this morning.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head and ear noises or are growing hard of hearing go to your druggist and get one ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it 1-4 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

1-t. —Adv.

COLSON COMPANY HAVE NEW LINE

The Colson Company of this city, is putting rubber tired trucks on the market which are meeting with favor on the part of store keepers, factory heads and hotel men.

These trucks and busses are the latest word in the manufacturing line and are especially adapted for handling light materials and for conveying china and silver to and from hotel dining rooms.

A neat booklet entitled the "Colson Line," contains information concerning the trucks and photographic reproductions of these handy conveyors are shown the trade.

These products are being shown at the hotel keeper's conventions being held throughout the country and much interest is being taken in the exhibits.

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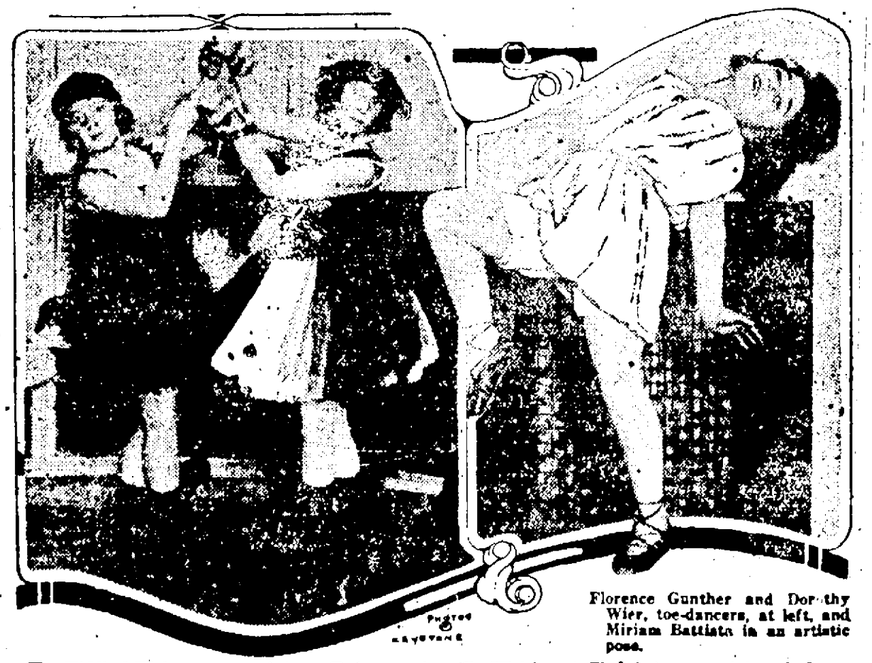
KIDDIES' KLUB REHEARSES CHRISTMAS PLAY



The Kiddies' Klub, a group of little artists in New York, is now putting the finishing touches on its Christmas play, "In Wishingdom." The play is to be staged at the Metropolitan Opera House.

Florence Gunther and Dorothy Wier, toe-dancers, at left, and Miriam Battista in an artistic pose.

The photos were taken during a recent dress rehearsal of the children in the play.

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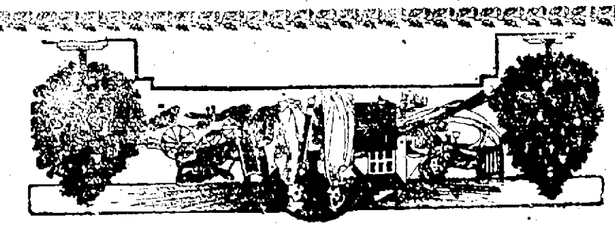

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Xmas Crepe Paper, all designs 15c fold.
Holly Wrapping Paper 5c roll.
Banquet Candles 5c each.
Xmas Snow 10c box.
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BRYAN CONFERS WITH HARDING AT MARION

First Democrat to Be Called by President-Elect — Advises on International Questions — Elihu Root Also Called

MARION, Dec. 17—William Jennings Bryan, former secretary of state under President Wilson and for many years an earnest advocate of world peace, was called into consultation today by President-elect Harding regarding the plan for an association of nations. The first former official of the Democratic administration to be summoned to the Republican president's council table here, Mr. Bryan brought a fund of special knowledge by virtue of his experiences in negotiating more than a score of arbitration treaties while he was head of the department of state. It was understood that these treaties constitute one of the principal subjects of Mr. Harding's iquiries.

Recently another former secretary, Elihu Root, suggested that arbitration treaties throughout the world might be amended so that all justifiable questions between nations would be referred to the new league of nations court rather than to temporary arbitration boards. On the possibility of making such amendments in the American treaties Mr. Bryan was in position to give first hand information. The Bryan treaties also have been discussed many times as furnishing in themselves a basis for reaching a world agreement in the interest of peace.

A proposal that nations bind themselves not to go to war except by vote of the people has been another of Mr. Bryan's suggestions as a basis for a world league and it is known that Mr. Harding has considered it in his conferences here. It is assumed that to discuss the practical working of such an agreement was one of the purposes of today's conference.

The former secretary was a warm advocate of the Versailles league, but after unreserved ratification failed, he entered the fight actively to secure Democratic acceptance of the Republican reservations. It was not revealed today what opinion he expressed regarding the prseent practicability of American acceptance of the covenant.

Arriving here late in the forenoon, Mr. Bryan had most of the day set aside for him on Mr. Harding's appointment schedule. Tonight the two will speak from the same platform at a Presbyterian church meeting here.

EVERYONE LIKES TO HELP MOTHER

Helping mother in the kitchen.

Who doesn't like to help mother about the house these days. What with Christmas cookies, puddings and cake to make and "just a million" presents to tie up, mother is as busy as she can be these days and it's well that the little folks and father do pitch in and help.

Amherst

AMHERST, Dec. 17—Mrs. Edgar was discharged from the Amherst hospital yesterday morning.

Carl Grime was discharged from the Amherst hospital yesterday.

Minnie and Helen Sabiers are Elyria visitors today.

Miss Ruth Grugel is convalescing from an operation.

Mrs. Franklin was a Lorain visitor yesterday.

Five more shopping days before Christmas.

Mrs. John Hageman, Sr. attended the funeral of the daughter of Mr. Wm. Hamann at Birmingham Wednesday.

Edna Hamann and Lucile Pippert were Elyria visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Rowe from New York is spending several weeks in Amherst, visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Rowe was formerly a resident of Amherst.

Mrs. Ella Nichol has returned to her home in Elyria.

Mrs. Irene Mills and daughter Marjorie were Lorain visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Adams who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Peabody for several days, have gone to Lake Odessa Mich., to live.

A fancy work bazaar will be given by class number fifteen at O. H. Baker's store, Saturday, Dec. 18., for the benefit of white gifts.

The Amherst high school basket ball team will play the Lorain Y. M. C. A. team this evening. All Amherstites are urged to see the game. The teams are well matched and will display much skill in basketball.

BRIGHTON TO CELEBRATE ITS CENTENNIAL

BRIGHTON, Dec. 17.—Brighton township having been organized one hundred years ago, a meeting was held on Wednesday evening to arrange for a centennial celebration. Watch next weeks paper for particulars.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jeffrey visited her mother and sister in Norwalk, Sunday and Monday.

John Brauk of Lorain has been visiting his cousin, Chris Veltri.

Among those who are reported on the sick list are Mrs. Blanche Gill and Harold Cunningham.

Miss Mildred Monroe of Oberlin is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Kate Veltri.

The township trustees unloaded two carloads of slag last week to repair the road. Brighton people hint quite broadly that it would not be out of order if the Wellington township trustees would follow suit and fill up some of the bad places, which are well nigh impassable on the stone road west of Wellington.

The high wind Tuesday did quite a good deal of damage, especially to the telephone lines.

SHIP BUILDERS BREAK RECORD PAST YEAR

Exceed Pre-War Record of Launchings — Decline Wooden Ships Marked During Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—American shipbuilders broke the worlds pre-war record of launchings during the last fiscal year according to figures given in the annual report of the commissioner of navigation made public today. American ships built and documented during the year aggregated 3,880,639 gross tons, the report said, adding that British ships under construction June 30, 1920, aggregated 3,808,056 tons.

American shipyards reached a rate of 4,258,141 gross tons a year to the end of December 1919 the report shows. At the end of March 1920 they had built steel ships alone at the rate of 3,679,285 tons a year, a small portion of this being foreign tonnage.

American tonnage sufficient to carry sixty per cent of the foreign trade of the U. S. had been registered July 1. During the year they actually carried 45 per cent in value of the exports from the U. S. and 39 per cent of the imports, the report said. In 1914 American ships carried but ten per cent of this country's exports and imports.

One-half of the officers and crews of American ships engaged in foreign trade are American citizens, a condition that has not existed for a third of a century, the report further says.

The decline of wooden ship production from 1,021,020 tons in the year ending June 1919 to 297,864 tons during the past fiscal year "is not without its compensations" the commissioner commented.

MEASURING OF RAYS BRINGS HIM SCIENCE MEDAL

William W. Coblentz.

William W. Coblentz has been awarded the Janssen medal of the Academy of Sciences at Paris, France, for his discovery in connection with rays emanating from the earth to the stars. Coblentz is a native of Ohio and has been with the bureau of standards for twelve years. He has developed a method of measuring radiant heat by infrared and ultraviolet rays and has devised an instrument for astronomers to measure heat from the stars.

Ohio State Rally

COLUMBUS, Dec. 17— Ohio State students hold rally in farewell to Buckeye football eleven which leaves for New Years day game at Pasadena, Cal., next Saturday.

Military Training for Women

A camp site large enough to accommodate 400 women and equipment sufficient to supply that many was offered to the United States training corps for women by Capt. F. L. Beals, supervisor in military training in Chicago high schools. The site is near Camp Roosevelt, Muskegon, Mich. The idea is to give business, professional and home women a chance to train during the summer for a small fee.

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69c to $1.95
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Thermos Kit, $5.00 value	$3.50
Electric Heater, $12.50 value	$10.00
Electric Toasters, $10.00 values	$ 8.50
Electric Sweepers, Frantz Premier, $39.75 value	$35.00
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And now, when you consider how many of these treasured gifts you still have and wear and use, you will understand why we urge you to give this Christmas — "GIFTS THAT LAST."
The largest and finest stock in Lorain County and the courteous assistance of our salespeople await you here. Whether the purchase is a rhinestone bar pin at $1.00 or a diamond ring at many hundreds, you are just as welcome, and you will find that shopping here is a real pleasure.
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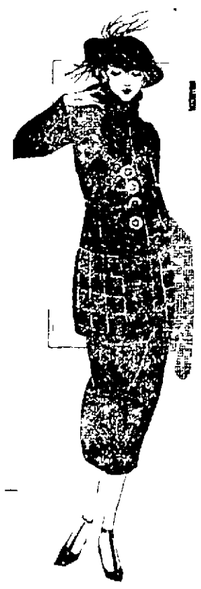

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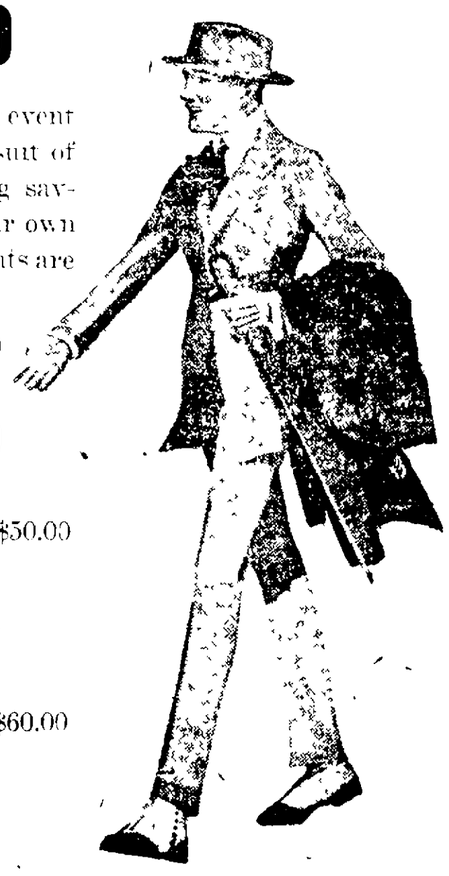

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HARDING'S SENATE MATES WILL HELP PLAN HIS INAUGURAL

The senate inaugural committee: Senator Nelson, left; Senator Knox, center, and Senator Overman. Inset is of Representative Joe Cannon, head of the house committee.

Three of the men with whom Harding labored in the senate will help formulate plans for the inauguration of the new chief executive. The inaugural committee is a joint one composed of three senators and three representatives, appointed by Vice President Marshall and Speaker Gillett. The senate group consists of Senators Nelson of Minnesota, Philander Knox of Pennsylvania and Overman of North Carolina. The house committee consists of Representatives Joe Cannon of Illinois, Reavis of Nebraska and Rucker of Missouri. Senator Overman and Representative Rucker are Democrats, the others are Republicans.

BILLY WHISKERS

When Bobby jumped out of the wagon, chickens came squawking and running to him, and clustered around his feet so he could hardly walk without stepping on them; down from the gable of the barn whirred some pigeons, which circled about his head and one of them lit on each shoulder, while another one tumbled off in trying get a foothold Bobby laughed, and, stooping down, stroked the feathers of some of the chickens and then he reached up and took one of the pigeons in each hand.

"Go, Flash! Go, Rocket!" he called, pitching each one of them into the air as he spoke, and after circling about him they flew back to their perch under the eaves of the barn, while Bobby unhitched Dandy.

No sooner was that surprising pony unhitched than he ran back to the pump. There was a little water standing in the bucket under the spout, but Dandy upset this at once, and then turned the bucket rightside up again with his nose. There was a leather loop nailed firmly to the pump handle and, gripping this with his teeth, Dandy jerked his head up and down until he had pumped a bucket of water, which he drank with great relish, then he trotted into the barn where Bobby presently carried the goat.

He gave Billy a drink of cool, fresh water and then, after preparing splints and bandages and getting everything ready, he set the broken bone in Billy's leg with cool firm hands. Poor Billy! It hurt him far worse than it had hurt to break his leg, but after Bobby had put some ointment on the leg and wrapped it up in soft bandages and had bound the stiff boards on it to keep it firm while the bone was healing, it felt a great deal better. Billy's bed was made of some sweet smelling hay right in front of Dandy's stall, just where a cool breeze could blow across him, and after Bobby had gone away, Billy closed his eyes in comfort. Next to being on Farmer Klausen's farm with his own mother, this was the nicest place he had ever been in his life.

After a long nap, Billy woke up to find Dandy clattering into his stall.

"Whew, but I'm hot!" said Dandy. How do you feel?"

"Pretty good," said Billy, "only my leg does throb and hurt."

"No doubt," replied Dandy. "I know when Queen had her leg broken she told me how it hurt her. You must get around and see Queen and her babies as soon as you are able, although I expect by that time they will be in here, tumbling around you. They are the cutest little puppies I ever saw in my life."

"I shall be glad to," said Billy, "but just now I'm only thinking about one thing. I'm hungry."

"That's good," laughed Dandy, "you'll get something to eat all right. Nobody stays hungry around here. Bobby will be here with something to eat soon. He's the best boy in the world. As soon as you get well enough, he'll teach you to do tricks."

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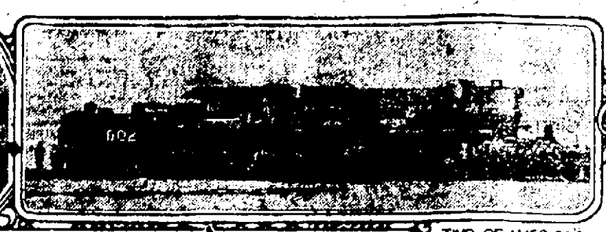

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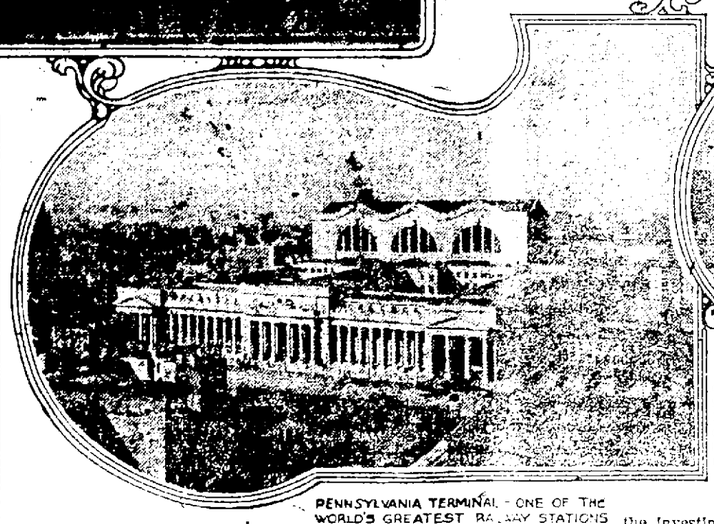

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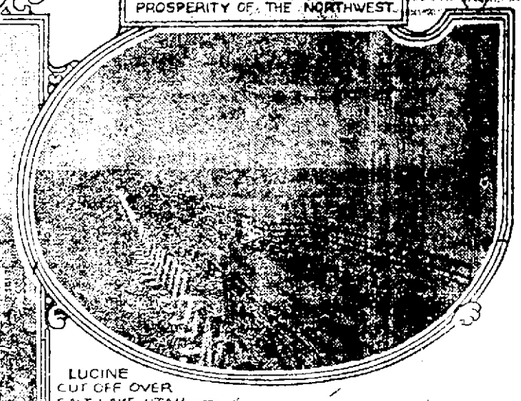

LUCINE CUT OFF OVER SALT LAKE, UTAH—FURTHER SHORTENING OF THE ROUTES OF OUR RAILROADS WILL GREATLY INCREASE THEIR CAPACITY.

By FRANCIS H. SISSON,
Vice President of Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

A NEW co-operative era has been opened in the history of American railroads. Today the railroad owners, the managers, the workers, the travelers, the shippers and the public are partners in a common enterprise. We have, in fact, actual public ownership and public operation of railroads. And it may comfort some of our radical agitators for government ownership of the railroads to know that the government now has more than a billion dollars invested in the enterprise.

When Congress turned the railroads back to their owning companies, guaranteeing that their combined net income should not fall below a fixed minimum, and providing for recapture into the public treasury of a large share of their profits, all the people became partners in the railroad business. Private ownership and operation, in the old sense, no longer exist. The directors and managers are the hired servants of the public, administering the great properties entrusted to them under the direction of a government board which has almost limitless powers. They can take no important action without the approval of the government. Their management, as defined by law, must be "honest, efficient and economical."

It should be borne in mind that the Transportation Act does not guarantee the profits of any individual company, nor does it guarantee interest or dividends on any securities. It does not stunt individual initiative by removing the fear of failure or the hope of reward. The unsuccessful railroad can go bankrupt just as easily now as before the law was passed. It provides no insurance against the results of bad management. What it does in this respect is merely to provide a level of rates that will enable the industry as a whole to live—but not grow fat—and give a modest reward to the most efficient and most fortunate.

Under the new order, rising profits will mean rising dividends only to the point that the government considers necessary to establish a firm credit foundation. After that, the bigger the profits, the lower will be the rates charged the public, because the new law restricts profits, and the quickest way to cut profits is to cut rates. The public, therefore, will have a greater interest in railroad efficiency. More tons per car and more miles per car day will be more to the advantage of the public than to the railroads themselves.

The railroads must grow — they must expand to keep their transportation capacity abreast and ahead of the growth of the country. This means a constant stream of new capital. Before the war we were putting half a billion dollars a year into railroad expansion. With construction costs doubled, there is now need for a billion dollars a year. The amount of new capital necessary for normal growth is equal to the entire 6 per cent income provided by Congress. In other words, if the owners of railroad bonds and stocks were obliged to provide all the new capital it would absorb every dollar of interest and dividends. Not a cent of the gross revenue could be taken from the business.

It is generally conceded that within the next few years, if our means of transportation by rail are to keep pace with the demands upon them, very large sums must be expended in the way of new construction and new equipment. While some small portion of this may come from current earnings, the great bulk must be new capital. This capital must be obtained from the investing public. If, therefore, we are to rely in the future, as we have in the past, upon private enterprise and private capital for our railway transportation, the return must be such as will induce the needed amount of investment. It is not only a matter of justice, it is in the truest public interest, that an adequate return should be allowed upon railway capital.

But the chief obstacle in the way of perfecting national control of transportation—so far as perfection is politically and humanly attainable—is in the conflict of federal and state regulation. The day must soon come when all public regulations of interstate commerce will be definitely under the federal government. It will need a decision of the highest court to end the existence of this twilight zone of public regulation.

But there is involved in the railroad problem a far greater issue than even that of adequate and efficient transportation. I refer to the issue of private ownership of property, not merely as an inherent right which the ages have fully sustained but also from the vastly larger consideration of public advantage. And we may be sure that had not private ownership of property long ago justified itself from the standpoint of public weal there would not be such ownership of property today. I have pointed out how the railroads are in reality publicly owned. And all politics, whether we realize it or not, is to be turned when it serves the public. The only question is how best to serve that paramount interest.

We have been through the throes of government operation—virtually government ownership—of the railroads. That was justified as a war expedient, but the people of this country, I venture, will long remember the inconvenience and the colossal expense of that experiment. But in this critical transition period, with its ferment of sociological discontent following as a natural phenomenon the violent psychological reactions of the war, the danger lies in resort to extreme measures as possible panaceas for our economic ills. We must guard against ultra-radicalism and ultra-conservatism. Both provoke class strife and breed Bolshevism. Both are enemies of the public welfare.

The radical element of labor should pause and consider that "the ordinary wage-earners of Russia have made the most vigorous effort in recent history to profit by the confiscation of the property of the well-to-do and wealthy classes. The resulting paralysis of industry, with the dire poverty and even starvation resulting for those very working classes that the confiscation was intended to benefit, are facts too well known to require elaboration. It is clear that the workingman cannot with safety destroy the equipment both tangible and intangible which aids him in production, and that, without the organizing ability of the captains of industry and the savings of the propertied classes, the equipment needed for production is hopelessly inadequate.

The reactionary element among employers should remember that curtailment of production in order to force wages down and sustain prices will inevitably react as a boomerang. Their eventual loss will more than offset their immediate gain. General prosperity is the best antidote for industrial unrest and dangerous radical tendencies.

Labor, too, must bear in mind that it has far more to lose by curtailing output on the false theory that decreased production per man creates more jobs. It should realize that the best way to sustain wage levels is to give a fair day's effort for a fair day's wage.

I heartily support organized labor when its object is the bettering of industrial conditions by legitimate means. I believe that in so far as organized labor, in whatever form or under whatever name it cares to function, accomplishes that purpose it is performing an invaluable service to this country and the world at large. But the future strength and success of organized labor lie not along the path of economic fallacy and sophistry, such as that represented by the Plumb plan to turn the railroads over to railroad brotherhoods under the guise of government ownership.

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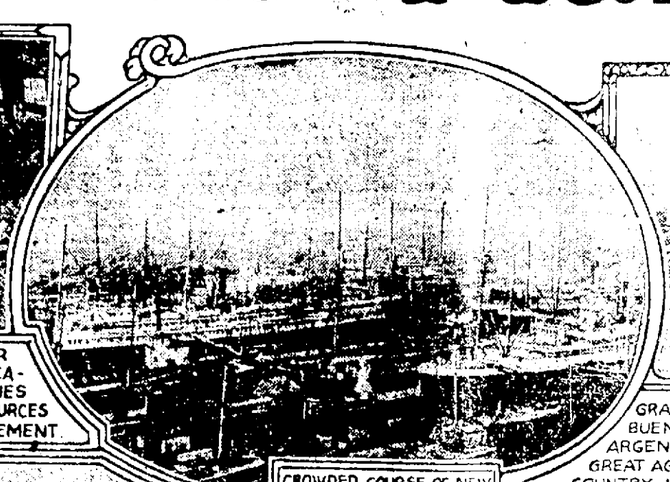

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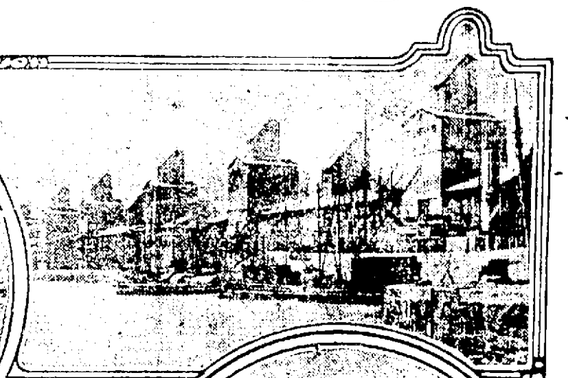

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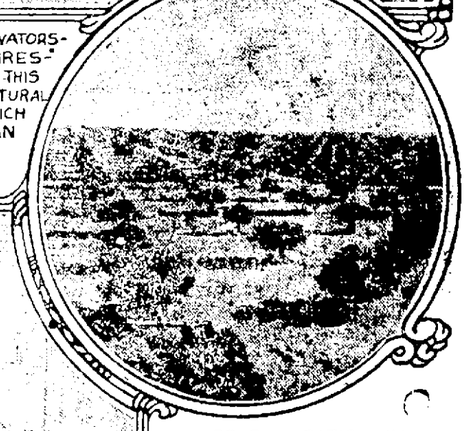

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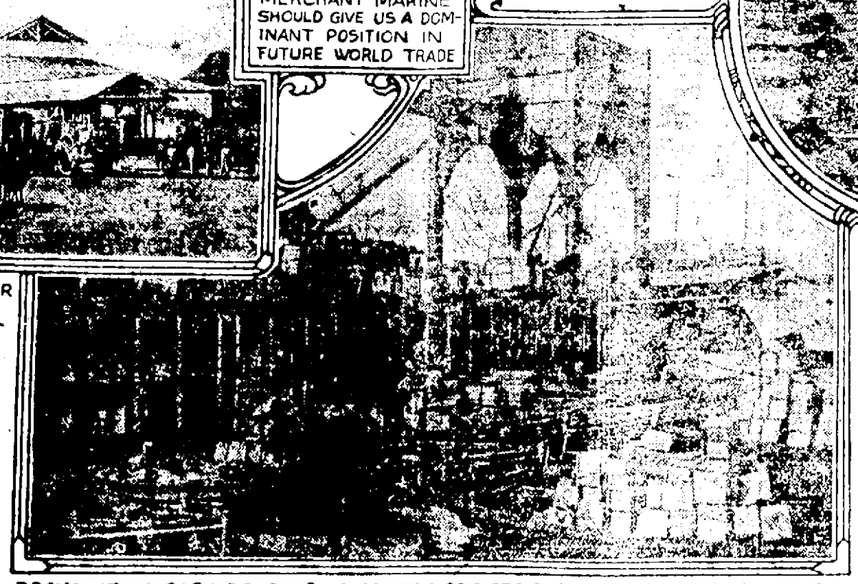

DOCKS AT VALPARAISO-CHILE- A CENTRE OF DISTRIBUTION FOR AMERICAN GOODS.

By FRANCIS H. SISSON,
Vice President Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

WE are entering the second stage of our post-war transition period. The momentum of economic forces generated and accelerated by the war is rapidly expending itself, as is evident from lessening industrial activities in many lines. Inflation is being arrested; the era of extravagant expenditures is ending; devastated Europe is again beginning to produce, as shown by the rising tide of imports.

The peak of high prices in commodities generally has been passed, and readjustment to normal levels is under way. This, of course, will affect all business. There has been a steady decline in commodity prices as a whole from February of this year. In some lines these declines are more pronounced than others. In manufactured products this is true as yet in only slight degree, but it is certain to be reflected there also.

And in a declining market it is the part of wisdom to be short on commodities and long on credit. This is not the time to borrow in order to carry large stocks of goods or to stimulate the production of non-essential commodities. But commercial loans are not being denied to any industry that is endeavoring to increase the production of essential goods.

While the Federal Reserve Board has declined to rule on what are essential and non-essential commodities, banks throughout the country have proceeded on the general basis that an essential commodity is one for which there is an urgent demand and which is indispensable to the welfare of the community and have encouraged the greater production of necessaries.

Banks prosper most when industry is most prosperous. Their attitude in the present situation is wholly in the interest of the country's economic welfare.

Manufacturers and dealers trying to sustain prices by artificial means are merely emulating King Canute, only they are forbidding the tide to recede. They are trying to do that which bureaucratic governmental agencies sought vainly to accomplish during the war—namely, the suspension of the operation of economic laws.

It would be well now to consider the trend of our foreign trade, for there is a close and vital relationship between the state of that trade and domestic prosperity. It is highly significant that the value of our exports for the seven months' period ended with July should amount to only 6 per cent more than the exports for the corresponding period of 1919, whereas imports increased in value 78 per cent. The excess of our exports over our imports for the first seven months of this year was practically only half of that for the corresponding period of last year.

While the decrease in our enormously favorable trade balance is altogether wholesome, in that to a large extent it measures the recovery of industries in Europe and is evidence that we are increasingly receiving payment for goods in goods rather than in credit, which is gradually but materially affecting the trend of prices in this country, it also serves to call attention to the vital fact that the time is approaching when America will be confronted with a contracted European market.

When that happens there may be serious consequences, if in the meantime other markets for American products are not found. And the best way for us to create new markets is to finance new enterprises and construction work in Latin-America, China and elsewhere. Trade follows investment, as England has demonstrated—to her huge profit.

There is another important element to consider. Within a few years we have acquired a large merchant fleet. We must keep it profitably employed. The terms of the Shipping Bill commit us definitely to an aggressive policy in the use of this new fleet. And it is a source of gratification to note that American ships today carry 60 per cent of our ocean-borne foreign trade. The significance of this lies in the fact that for sixty years a large proportion of the profits of American industries has gone overseas in the form of ocean freight rates, marine insurance premiums and banking commissions. The toll has aggregated billions of dollars.

It must be admitted, of course, that there are serious difficulties to be overcome before capital will be able to flow in the needed amounts into foreign investment. The present home demand is unprecedentedly strong. Billions are needed in the United States to supply equipment for our railroads, to make up the deficiency in building operations that the war created and to meet other urgent domestic demands. An investment of about $25,000,000,000, or the approximate equivalent of the national debt of this country, it has been estimated, is necessary to rehabilitate the basic national plant, which includes the railroads, housing, factories and public utilities in general.

There is no longer any question about the imperative need for repealing the excess profits tax or of the practically universal demand from all substantial business interests for such action.

Even more vital than the reforming of our tax laws, however, is the transportation situation. The railroads have rightfully been returned to their owners, under provisions for ample Government supervision and fair treatment to the carriers as regards rates. But these favorable factors cannot immediately restore the credit of the railroads, and they cannot supply at once the freight cars, engines and terminal facilities so imperatively needed today. There is only one way, in fact, to overcome the serious handicaps confronting the carriers, and that is by the full co-operation of railway managers, railway employees, shippers and the public.

BASKET BALL SQUAD ALL SET FOR VERMILION

The Elyria high school basketball team is all set for its game with Vermilion tonight. Coach Stephan put the team through a stiff workout last night and final selections were not made until the practice session ended. Competition for every position is extremely keen with two or three men fighting desperately for the place. Guthman, one of the mainstays of the football eleven, has been out the last two nights and looks as if he might make one of the regular work to hold his position at guard. The team that starts against Vermilion will be a fast, scrappy aggregation.

The curtain raises for the regular game promptly at 7:30 and will be a contest between the Senior A and B teams. From the indications at school an outsider would believe this game was to be the big attraction of the evening. What these teams lack in science will be made up in desire to win and fight. Manager Fox announced the line-up as follows:

SENIOR A	Pos.	SENIOR B
Davis	R. G.	Eskins
J. Smith	L. G.	Lengel
Hollis	C.	Reed
Reese	R. F.	Fox
Lawrence	L. F.	Williams

This ought to be a star attraction. Both teams are sure their opponents will loose.

The regular game will begin promptly at the close of the Senior game. The Vermilion team comes as an unknown quanity, but promises a hard fought and scrappy game. After practice last night Coach Stephan announced the following lineup. Capt. Fauver and Koppes guards, Krugman center, Braddon and Hayes forwards. This group showed plenty of fight in practice last night and will play Vermilion to the limit.

CLEVELAND Y TEAM COMING

The local Y. M. C. A. is planning to hold a Gym Exhibition this coming Tuesday evening, December 21st, at 8 p. m.

The crack gym team of the Cleveland Central Y. M. C. A. under the direction of Physical Director, Arthur Chilee, will be the performers and an exhibition worth while seeing is promised.

Drills, apparatus work, dancing, and other numbers will make up the evening's program.

No admission is to be charged, and every one, whether a member of the "Y" or not is cordially invited to attend. This exhibition is for the community and ladies as well as gentlemen are invited.

AMERICAN LEAGUE MAGNATES MEET

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—The annual meeting of the American league here today, whose most important business was ratification of the new baseball agreement, marked the first of a series of gatherings in this city. It also was the first plenary meeting of the American league since three of its members temporarily seceded last to force action on a general reorganization of the sport.

An unusually placid atmosphere hovered over early conferences of managers, contrary to recent American league tradition at 10 meetings, and little, if any disagreement was anticipated.

PLAN NATIONAL COLLEGIATE MEET

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The question of holding a national collegiate track, field and relay meet will come before the national collegiate athletic association, at its annual meeting, December 29, it was learned today. The proposed meet was discussed informally at the meeting of the organization in New York a year ago, but did not meet with great favor. Since that time, the idea has become popular according to general Palme, Pierce, president of the association. The coaches and officials of the mid-west approve of the plan, it was said, and the first meet may be held some time during the spring.

Winners of sectional meets would contest for the national championship in some centrally located city under the plan.

COMING GAMES IN BOWLING SCHEDULE

The Moose club bowling team will play the fast West Park five at the Temple Alleys. Saturday night, the losers to pay the expenses incurred by bringing the team to this city and a snappy contest is looked for on that occasion, as the visitors are playing in excellent form at the present time.

The Moose Bowling team and the Temples clash on the Temple alleys this evening and the match will attract many spectators to the Cheapside parlor.

The K. of C. Bowling team will tackle the Gala outfit, at the Gala alleys, tonight and a battle royal is anticipated when the two fives meet on the polished floor.

BOTTLE-BAT GROH MAY JOIN GIANTS IN WINTER DEAL

Heinie Groh.

One of the big deals rumored about baseball circles while the wind howls down the chimney is a trade between the Giants and Reds whereby the Reds' infield star and captain, Henry Knight Groh, becomes a Giant. Another Red player mentioned in the deal is Greasy Neale.

Back in 1895, 'way down in Steubenville, O., one John Wagner, a clumsy sort of a kid gamboled awkwardly on the baseball diamond, murmuring the while that he was going to be a big league ball player. Home folks smiled. But John kept practicing and playing and one day a Pirate scout signed him up. Everybody except John fainted. John had his turn at smiling.

In 1900, after the Pirates had tried once to release him, John—dubbed Hans—became the Pirates' regular shortstop. How he starred through two decades is history. He led the National league in batting in 1904-06-07-09. For a stretch of ten years, ending in 1913, he batted .300 every year. He starred also as a base pur loiner. Then his legs—those famous bulgy pins—gave out and he retired. But now he hears the call again and will entertain an offer to manage a big league club. And he may become one before the spring of 1921 rolls around. He has been talked of to lead the Pirates.

GALAS WIN BY ELEVEN PINS

The Gala Bowling team triumphed over the Temple team at the latter's alleys, last night, but the Broad street ten pin artists were forced to travel every step of the way in order to win out and they finished the contest eleven pins to the good.

It was a battle from start to finish, the Galas winning the first two games of the series, while the Temple's grabbed off the final bout when Weller came through with a 235 score, the high mark of the evening.

GALAS

Tite	128	197	216
Heimbach	171	187	191
Maddock	213	204	163
Evans	162	225	189
Adams	202	176	160
Totals	876	989	915—2780

TEMPLES

Weller	179	165	198
Peachey	194	184	235
Root	184	187	183
Henninga	141	225	165
Shepard	171	180	178
Totals	869	941	959—2769

WANT TO LEGALIZE HORSE RACING

DETROIT, Dec. 17.—The next legislature will be asked by the Michigan association of fairs to legalize horse racing in this state.

At a meeting of the association here it was to seek a restoration of the sport under a commission similar to the boxing commission.

ASSOCIATION MAY JOIN AGREEMENT

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The American association is willing to enter into the new national baseball agreement with Judge Kenesaw M. Landis as supreme commissioner but does not feel as though it should go in for the provided 25 year period, according to President Tom Hickey, on his return here from New York today.

"Judge Landis' term is for seven years," he said. "We would have no fear about the new commission-ship at the termination of Judge Landis' term. This is what the American association is debating about.

COLTS BEAT DRUGS LAST EVENING

The Temple Colts and the Temple Drug bowling team selected the Gala alleys as the neutral ground on which to decide the dispute as to which team could secure the highest score.

The match was rolled last evening and the frisky colts stole the pill makers into camp by the margin of 41 pins, both teams having plenty of rooters on hand to boost for them.

TEMPLE COLTS

Wilcox	171	189	210
Gryeske	179	156	230
Humphrey	144	135	158
Hull	192	180	163
Welty	184	189	194
Totals	870	848	949—2667

TEMPLE DRUGS

Gamble	167	186	181
Krughman	192	142	174
Poole	172	173	221
Heperbrand	157	189	172
Wagner	192	123	185
Totals	880	813	933—2626

WILLIARD TO TRY TO REGAIN TITLE

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 17.—Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion, expects to train intensively three months in preparation for his bout to regain the title from Jack Dempsey in New York, March 17, according to a statement made here by Ray Archer, his manager.

Archer came to Kansas City from Lawrence, Kans., the home of the former champion to confer with Hugh Walker, a heavyweight concerning the employment of Walker as one of Willard's sparring partners. Walker will meet Captain Bob Roper, heavyweight in a bout here December 30. According to Archer, Willard already has begun to train although his work is somewhat handicapped because his home is quarantined on account of illness in his family. Archer said Willard expects to have several sparring partners and that he would make every effort to obtain well known fighters.

Discussing the coming bout with Dempsey, Archer said:

"Willard isn't thinking about money. He wants to prove to the public that he was not himself at Toledo."

ROLLING MILL BEAT THE PIPES

The Rolling Mill team put it all over the Pipe Mill team at the Gala alleys in their last match game, winning by a comfortable margin.

PIPE MILL

Baker	156	180	169
Penrod	145	123	154
Stack	142	134	143
Artwel	132	204	174
Kesnick	206	173	192
Totals	781	814	832—2427

ROLLING MILL

Pfaff	168	236	173
Theobold	140	140	140
Kalinack	125	187	135
Esch	192	170	226
Miller	157	194	180
Totals	782	927	859—2568

TRYING TO HELP HOUSE SHORTAGE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Formulation of a constructive policy for the relief of the housing shortage throughout the country will be undertaken at a meeting of the national council of the chamber of commerce of the U. S. to be held here January 27 and 28. An announcement by the chamber today said the conference to be attended by representatives of each of the 1400 member organizations would consider the present housing situation in its social and civic aspects as well as from a business and industrial viewpoint.

Robbers Kill Jeweler

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—Three masked robbers shot and killed Edwin W. Andrews and escaped with jewels valued at $100,000 in raid on jewelry establishment in center of shopping district.

Sentenced For Life

TOLEDO, Dec. 17—Mrs. Myrtle Hemsley sentenced to life imprisonment for second degree murder of Leo Cousino, an alleged gunman.

WOMAN CAMERA MAN TAKES MOVIES

Mrs. S. Ella Wood Dean.

Mrs. S. Ella Wood Dean, prominent society woman of Chicago, is according to reports emanating from that city, the first woman news cameraman. Mrs. Dean is independently wealthy and she projects her films at home for the entertainment of her guests. She is shown here waiting for a famous general to leave his hotel that she may "shoot" him. She does all of this because she "likes the thrills."

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He's the king, he deserves the applause.
Why, he proves every year that he hasn't a peer,
This old athlete supreme, Santa Claus.

When he enters his sleigh, gives his reindeer the word,
And is off on his Christmas eve flight,
He makes all distance records read very absurd.
He goes clear 'round the world in a night.
He's a wonder at hurdling, he leaps over walls;
He's a strong man, a juggler as well—
Look at all the pianos he leaves on his calls,
And we never have heard that one fell.

And he plays to the largest fan flock of them all,
For the millions who worship each deed
Are the rosy-cheeked tots who invite him to call—
And have faith that he'll hear and take heed.
He's the greatest, most blessed, rare sport, honor bright.
And the reason is plain; it's because
He can train all the year for one wonderful night,
This world-beating sport, Santa Claus.

DAUGHTER OF RUSSIAN GENERAL AND HER CHILDREN NOW IN THE U. S. AS REFUGEES

Mrs. Anna Brosse, Valeria and Gourg.

Mrs. Anna Brosse and her children, Valeria, four, and Gourg, five, are making their home in Germantown, Pa., with William A. Dobson, chief naval architect at the Cramps shipyards. When Dobson's father was naval architect at the shipyards twenty years ago, the then Admiral Brosse was sent there to supervise construction of ships for the Russian navy.

POLICE KILL ST. LOUIS THUG

CHICAGO, Dec. 17—The man who attempted to hold up the Home Drug company store last midnight and was killed by police after a chase through crowded streets was identified early today as Thomas Heavey of St. Louis.

Another drug store, several miles away on the West Side, was held up an hour before, police declared, by Heavey and his three associates who escaped after the spectacular holdup at the corner of Clark and Randolph streets, while crowds were pouring out of nearby theatres.

In the first drug store robbery, $400, several watches and a quantity of drugs were taken. Some of this loot was found in Heavey's pockets.

One of the hundreds of eye-witnesses said Heavey's companions escaped in a n automobile, but Heavy was unable to join them because of the large crowd at the front door of the drug store blocking that exit. As the robber ran out the side door, Policeman Charles Conlon ran up, while pedestrians scattered to escape the revolver shots. Conlon followed the bandit half a block despite several wounds, and Policeman John Dowd shot the bandit twice, killing him almost instantly.

Miss Maud Linthal, cashier of the Home Drug company, was the heroine of the holdup. When the robber entered, waving a revolver at the clerks and a dozen customers, she blocked the cash register and refused to give up the keys, although the robber struck her in the face with his gun. This momentary delay enabled Conlon to come up in time to frighten the robbers into flight.

NEW YORK BANKS HAVE BIG YEAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 17—Christmas in the financial districts this year, judged by surface conditions will lack the spontaneous and prodigal spirit which made memorable the holiday seasons of the preceding years.

This change is directly traceable to the world wide reaction in finance, industry and general trade, a fact which has been brought home to Wall street with increasing emphasis during the past few months.

For the most part, the banks trust companies and other financial institutions have had a prosperous year and the better known private banking houses, especially those of international repute, are expected to show unusual liberality in the distribution of their gratuities.

Already several prominent banks have announced bonuses ranging from 15 to 25 per cent of yearly salaries, these complementing similar advances made during the year in recognition of increased living costs.

In several instances Christmas gifts are expected to mount to 50 per cent of the years' pay, accompanied by an increase of salary for the coming year.

Stock exchange firms and commission houses are not expected to be so liberal as in the past, many of them having felt the contraction of the last half year, as have also many individual traders, other than those bears who have profited by market reversals.

There will be generous distributions, however, by all the exchanges to their employes, the stock exchange leading off tomorrow with a Santa Claus celebration.

Boys' waists in plain and fancy striped percales, $1.00 each. The Robinson & Hancock Co.

TRY TO ADJUST RUSS EXCHANGE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Final determination of the government's policy with regard to dollar-ruble exchange was understood to have been reached today and an announcement by the treasury is expected shortly.

Conferences have been held recently between state department, federal reserve board and treasury officials relative to the war trade boards ruling that trade between individuals of this country and Russia was permissible but no means for making payments between the two countries was sanctioned by the United States government. Officials of the treasury were understood to have taken the position that no change in this situation is practicable since while entry of Russian gold into this country is not prohibited, government agencies cannot purchase bullion which lacks the stamp of a recognized foreign government.

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FOR SALE—A 1917 Ford roadster. Call evenings, 37781.

FOR SALE—Electric Cars, Rauch and Lang Brougham 4 seater, very complete, as good as new. 40-cell battery. Price $1150 00. Write W H Robinson, 1464 Elbur Ave., Lakewood, O. Bell phone Lakewood 418.

FOR SALE—One Dodge Sedan, New paint and new tires. One Saxon Six. One Ford Roadster. Cash or terms. CLARK AUTO REPAIR 331 Clark St

FOR RENT—Garage, 214 E. H. Blvd. Phone 7244.

FOR RENT—Garage at 59 West Ave., Call at Second Hand Store, phone 2734.

FOR RENT—Fire proof garage, corner Oak St and Lake Ave. Sherman L. Wurst, phone 30814.

Legal Notices

APPLICATION FOR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that Steve Crnic—48324 a prisoner now confined in the Ohio Penitentiary, has been recommended to the Ohio Board of Clemency, by the Warden and Chaplin as legally eligible to a hearing for Parole. Said application will be for hearing on or after January 29, 1921

12-10-17-24

No Letters For Santa Claus

"Say, dad, I'm not going to write to Santa Claus this year. Last year Jim an' I both wrote him letters and didn't get no results a tall."

"Well, the mails have been kinder bad," said dad.

"Jim says he heard that Chronicle-Telegram Want Ads get results. And his mother says he can get out all that stuff they got up in the attic and put an ad in and sell it. Jim's goin' to do that and he can have allthemoney he gets. Dad can't I sell that old pile of books you get upstairs and keep the money to send for Christmas?"

"Go to it, son. Just telephone The Chronicle-Telegram. They'll take your ad over the phone."

NOTICE OF TAX VALUES

Notice is hereby given that the tax statements and returns for the current year have been revised and the valuations completed and are open for public inspection at the County Auditors Office. Complaints against any valuation or assessment may be filed in the County Auditors Office on or before January 20, 1921

M. H. WELTY, County Auditor

12-9, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21

PROBATE NOTICE

Elyria, Ohio, Dec. 16, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that partial and final accounts, supplemental final accounts and affidavits in lieu of final accounts by executors, administrators trustees, assignees and guardians have been filed in the following cases in the Probate Court of Lorain County, Ohio, and that the same will be for hearing before said Court on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time, if exceptions thereto are not filed, the same will be approved and confirmed and entered of record.

ESTATES

Elizabeth Chapman ... Final
Lester N. Close ... Final
Philomena A. Snyder ... Final
Marie Schumaker ... Final
Robert Ridfern ... Final
George Wickens ... Final
Katharina Weber ... Final
John W Opfer ... Final
Scipio A Torrence ... Final
John Keisler ... Final
Thomas E. Dexter ... Final
Naum Yovanoff ... Final
Tereza Papajesik ... Final
Rosena Gault Baker ... Final
Laura Mattison ... Final
Charles J Fish ... Final
Frank Misita ... Final
Henry J. Meyers, Jr. ... Final
Antonio Pane ... Final
David F Woodmansee ... Final
Elizabeth Hollis ... Final
Ursula M Close ... Final
Charles Barckert ... Final
Mary E. Tew ... Final
Anton Knipper ... Final
A J Thayer ... Final
Ella M Hollingsworth, Supplemental Final
John Loux Affidavit in Lieu of Final
Antonio Sanna Affidavit in Lieu of Final
Alfred C Phipps Affidavit in Lieu of Final
George Ludwig ... Partial
Emmet F. Eldredge ... Partial
William M Mitchell ... Partial

TRUSTEESHIPS

Edward T Killip Trust Est ... Final
Martha Tinker Forman, Est ... Final
Merrill W Lang, Trust Est ... Partial
Indiana Peabody Trust Est ... Partial
Philip H. Cary Trust Est. ... Partial

ASSIGNMENTS

Lester F Fitch ... Final

GUARDIANSHIPS

Alden Smith Fletcher ... Final
Ardath L. Cleaver ... Final
John and Mary Lasaicky ... Final
Andrew Bojtar ... Final
Mildred Reahin ... Final
Helen Roskos ... Final
John and Mary Krasnich ... Final
Gwenolyn Nichols ... Partial
Josephine, Leon, Louis and Edith Wolfe ... Partial
Lettie Williams ... Partial
Lizzie Kriebel ... Partial
Bernadette, Mildred, LeRoy Dorothy and Marion Mathewson ... Partial
George Phineas Guthrie ... Partial
John and Lizzie Roskos ... Partial
Joseph Lavko ... Partial
Earl L. White ... Partial
Katherine McCarvel ... Partial
Michael Foley ... Partial
William Foley ... Partial
David Chappell ... Partial
Myron and Dorotha Bates ... Partial

H. C. WILCOX, Probate Judge

12-17, 24, 31.

LEGAL NOTICE
Case Number 17460

Earl Hoff and Hazel Hoff, defendants, whose place of residence is to the plaintiff now unknown will take notice that on the 8th day of Novmber, A. D. 1920, the undersigned Plaintiff filed its petition in the Court of Comon Pleas Lorain County Ohio, being Case Number 17460, praying for personal judgment, foreclosure of chattel mortgage and equitable relief.

Said case will be for hearing on and after the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1921

The Western Reserve Finance Co., Plaintiff
Wm L Hughes, Attorney

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING

A meeting of the stockholders of The Waite Company will be held at the office of said Company, in the City of Elyria Ohio, on the 4th day of January, 1921, at One o'clock p. m. for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposed dissolution of said corporation and the surrender of its corporate authority and franchises, and the transaction of any and all business necessary or incident thereto

Dated November 30th, 1920.

C. S. CHAMPNEY, Secretary

12-3-10-17-24

LEGAL NOTICE IN DIVORCE
17520

Michael Klares, defendant, whose place of residence is to the Plaintiff now unknown, will take notice that on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1920, the undersigned Plaintiff filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas, Lorain County, Ohio, being Case Number 17520 praying a divorce from said Defendant on the ground of Gross Neglect of Duty and Extreme Cruelty and asking also for Alimony, Custody of child and other equitable relief.

Said case will be for hearing on and after the 15th day of January A. D. 1921

JENNIE KLARES, Plaintiff
L D HAMLIN, Plaintiff's Attorney

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING

A meeting of the stockholders of The Liquid Force Manufacturing Company will be held at the Office of said Company, in the City of Elyria, Ohio, on the 4th day of January, 1921, at Two o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposed dissolution of said corporation and the surrender of its corporate authority and franchises, and the transaction of any and all business necessary or incident thereto

Dated November 30th, 1920.

C. S. CHAMPNEY, Secretary

12-3-10-17-24

17505

STATE OF OHIO, LORAIN COUNTY, SS IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, No 17505.

Mrs Maria V. Smith, 200 Erie Street, Lorain, Ohio Plaintiff, VS Anson Jones and Nancy Jones his wife. The unknown heirs legatees and devisees of Anson and Nancy Jones, deceased.

Totus Hayes Phoebe Hayes, Charlotte More, Richard Hayes, Elizabeth Hayes, his wife. Leroy Hayes Zariah Hayes, his wife. The unknown heirs legatees and devisees of Titus Hayes, Phoebe Hayes, Charlotte More, Richard Hayes, Elizabeth Hayes, Leroy Hayes, Zariah Hayes deceased.

Hannibal T. Osgood, otherwise known as H. T Osgood and Thomas Osgood and Susan Osgood otherwise known as Susan E Osgood. The unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of Hannibal T. Osgood and Susan E. Osgood, deceased.

James B. Wood, Catherine Chap- [illegible] Smith N. S. Townshend [illegible] known heirs, legatees and devisees of James B. Wood, Catherine Chapman and N. S. Townshend deceased, whose names, except as above given and all whose places of residence are to the plaintiff unknown will take notice that the plaintiff Maria V Smith, has filed her petition in the Common Pleas Court of Lorain County, at Elyria, Ohio, against the above named defendants, being cause No. 17505 in said court, in which cause said Maria V. Smith alleges that she is the owner in fee simple of and in possession of the following described premises:—

Situated in the Village of Avon Lake, County of Lorain and State of Ohio and known as being part of Section No. 6 in Avon Township bounded and described as follows:—

Commencing at an iron pin in the center of the Lake Shore Road, so called, at the Northwest corner of land conveyed by George F. Smith and Maria V. Smith, husband and wife, to George T. Lowrie by Deed dated, July 1, 1905 and recorded in Volume 98, Page 364 of Lorain County Records, thence North 74 degrees 28' East in the center of Lake Shore Road, 841.5 feet to an iron pin at the Northeast corner of said land, thence South 2 degrees 26' East in the East line of said land 2559 feet, thence continuing in the East line of said land, South 2 degrees 56' West 3644.45 feet to a stone at the Southeast corner of said land; thence North 86 degrees 46' West along the Southerly line of said land 1106 feet to the Southwest corner of said land, thence North 2 degrees 54' east along the Westerly line of said land 2426.45 feet to a stone, thence North 85 degrees 3 1-2' East 284 2 feet to a point distant 1193 1 feet South 88 degrees 3-1-2 West from the point of beginning thence North 3 degrees 9' East 1193.1 feet to the place of beginning. [illegible]ting from the above strip of land 40 feet wide across said premises now used as a Right of Way of The Lake Shore Electric Railway Company and excepting also land conveyed to The Lake Shore Electric Railway Company by Maria V. Smith by Deed recorded in Volume 157, Page 368 of Lorain County Records of Deeds and bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a point where the Easterly line of Grantors land intersects the Southerly Right of Way line of the Lake Shore Railway Company, running thence Southerly on said Easterly line a distance of 10 feet; thence Westerly and parallel with the southerly Right of Way line of the Said Railway Company to a creek a distance of about 218 feet running thence Westerly on a straight line a distance of 342 feet to a point 5 feet South of Southerly Right of Way line of said Railway Company thence Northerly a distance of 5 feet to said Southerly Right of Way line thence Easterly on said Southerly Right of Way line to the place of beginning and containing about 1 10 acre. Containing within said boundaries 86.17 acres of land be the same more or less but subject to all legal highways.

That the said persons above named defendants in said cause have or claim to have some interest in said premises adverse to the right and title of the said Maria V Smith by reason of certain record defects in the chain of title to said premises. Said defects consisting of certain uncancelled mortgages and certain defects in connection with the execution of deeds and certain missing conveyances from the records of the chain of title to said premises, that the said plaintiff Maria V Smith is in full control, possession and ownership of said premises, and that she and her predecessors in title have had the possession, ownership of the said premises for more than twenty one years next preceding the bringing of said action and have had such ownership and possession peaceably and have been in continuous, actual adverse open notorious and exclusive possession of said premises under claim of right and title [illegible] and adverse to the rights of the said defendants and all other persons, and that said defendants and other persons who may appear by reason of said record defects to have [illegible] in said premises have not, in fact, any right, [illegible] claim or title thereto.

The prayer of said petition is that said defendants may be served with summons in said action or otherwise notified of the pendency thereof, as the court shall order and direct, and that they be required to answer in said cause and to set forth their claims if any they have to said premises and that on final hearing the claims of the defendants, if any, may be declared to be null and void as against the right and title of the plaintiff, and that the plaintiff's title to said premises may be quieted in her against any and all claims of said defendants, and each of them, and of any other persons who may claim under, by or thru said defendants or any of them.

The defendants are hereby notified by this publication which is made in pursuance of the order of said court in said cause, that they are required to answer said petition in said court on or before the 29th day of January, 1921 or judgment will be taken against them in favor of the plaintiff as prayed for in her said petition and they will be barred from any interest claim or title which they, or either or any of them, may have or claim to have to said premises.

MARIA V SMITH, Plaintiff
MARTIN C KROGH and HARRY E BARR, Her Attorneys,
725 Williamson Bldg, Cleveland, Ohio

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NOTICE OF BOND SALE

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Auditor of the City of Elyria Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, Central Time on the 4th day of January 1921, for the purchase of the bonds of said City in the aggregate amount of $150,000 00. Each of said bonds being in the denomination of $1,000 00 and bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi annually on the first days of March and September in each year, commencing March 1, 1921, as evidenced by negotiable coupons attached thereto and shall be payable at the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, 55 Cedar Street, New York, New York. Said bonds shall be dated September 1, 1920, and mature as follows.

Bonds numbered 886 to 895 inclusive shall mature September 1 1931.
Bonds numbered 896 to 905 inclusive shall mature September 1 1932
Bonds numbered 906 to 915 inclusive shall mature September 1 1933
Bonds numbered 916 to 925 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1934
Bonds numbered 926 to 935 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1935
Bonds numbered 936 to 945 inclusive shall mature September 1 1936
Bonds numbered 946 to 955 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1937
Bonds numbered 956 to 965 inclusive shall mature September 1 1938
Bonds numbered 966 to 975 inclusive shall mature September 1 1939
Bonds numbered 976 to 985 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1940.
Bonds numbered 986 to 995 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1941
Bonds numbered 996 to 1005 inclusive shall mature September 1 1942
Bonds numbered 1006 to 1015 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1943
Bonds numbered 1016 to 1025 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1944
Bonds numbered 1026 to 1035 inclusive shall mature September 1, 1945

The above issue of bonds is for the purpose of extending, enlarging, improving, repairing and securing a more complete enjoyment of the Water Works of the City of Elyria, Ohio and equipping and furnishing the same for the purpose of supplying water to said City and the inhabitants thereof and are issued in full compliance with Sections 3939 to 3949 inclusive, of the General Code of the State of Ohio, and by virtue of Resolution No. 1569, of the Council of the City of Elyria, Ohio passed February 3, 1919, and approved by the voters of said City, April 30, 1919, and further by virtue of Ordinance No. [illegible] by [illegible] of Elyria, Ohio.

Said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for not less than par value and accrued interest to date of delivery of same. All bids must state the number of bonds bid for and the gross amount of bid and bids for only part of this issue of bonds must designate those bid for. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in an amount of two (2) per cent of the par value of the amount of bonds bid for. Said certified Check to be drawn upon any Elyria, Ohio bank or any National Bank outside of said City and shall be made payable on the face thereof to the Treasurer of the City of Elyria, Ohio, upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will receive and pay for such bonds that may be set forth, immediately upon delivery of the bonds. Said check to be retained by the City of Elyria if said conditions are not fulfilled. The bonds to be delivered to the buyer at Elyria, Ohio.

A complete transcript of proceedings had relative to the above bonds will be furnished to the successful bidder upon the day of sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Bids to be sealed and endorsed "Bids for Water Works Improvement Bonds Series "Y"".

W. F. GUTHMAN, City Auditor

12-3-10-17-24

Oberlin News

DR. KING ASKS AMNESTY FOR ALL FEDERAL PRISONERS

OBERLIN, Dec. 17—Dr. Henry Churchill King, president of Oberlin college, at a chapel service today inaugurated a movement petitioning President Wilson to restore free speech, press and assemblage and to grant amnesty on Christmas day to all federal prisoners held under the espionage act for political opinions, spoken or written.

"I do not myself see how one can get away from the argument for free speech as a basis for steady progress," said Dr. King. "It is for that reason that I feel we can unite in the letter to the president."

Following the chapel meeting the men's and women's senates, the student self-governing bodies, met and arranged for the circulation of the following petition among the students and faculty:

"As teachers and students of Oberlin college may we unite with many others in expressing the earnest hope that, as a step toward the restoration of full liberty of speech, press and assemblage, you may find it wise on Christmas day to grant amnesty to all federal political prisoners held under the espionage act only for political opinions or for words spoken or written as distinguished from direct incitement to violence, acts of violence or overt acts against the government?"

EASTERN STARS INSTALL OFFICERS

OBERLIN Dec 17 -The Pansy chapter of the Eastern Star held the installation service on Wednesday evening December 15, in the Masonic hall. At this time the officers for the next year were installed. Deputy grand matron of this district Mrs Mabel George had charge of the services. After the installation a musical program was provided and refreshments served. The reports for the year were read. The year of work just closing was judged by many to be the best in the history of the chapter.

The officers installed for the next year are: Worthy matron, Mrs. Rachel Rawdon, worthy patron, Clarence Graham; associate matron, Mrs. Edith Thatcher, secretary, Mrs. Nellie Baxter, treasurer, Mrs Gertrude Stone, conductress, Mrs Letta Van Ausdale associate conductress, Mrs Mary Kepler; marshal Floreda Stone, warden, Mrs. Sybil Miller, sentinel, Mrs. Martha Edwards, organist, Mrs. Lena Foster, trustees Mrs Christy, Mrs. Frank Foster, Mrs McRoberts

CHURCH TO JOIN IN UNION SERVICE

OBERLIN, Dec 17—There will be no preaching service at the First Baptist church. The regular evening service will be omitted in order that the members may attend the service of the United church in Finney chapel. Dr. Thomas W. Graham of the theological school will fill the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday morning, so that the pastor, Rev. Frank W. Smith, may have another week to recover from his recent operation. The subject of Dr Graham's sermon will be "The Program of Jesus." The morning service of the United church will be conducted as usual. Sunday school will be held at 9 15 and the special service for children at the James Brand house at 11 a. m. At the morning service of the church the pastor, Rev Nicholas Van der Pyl will speak upon the subject "Wayside Tasks."

CHRISTMAS MUSIC NEXT SUNDAY

OBERLIN, Dec 17—The annual festival of Christmas music will be given at the various churches of the city on next Sunday. The time for these services in the various churches have been so arranged that there is no conflict between the different choirs. The Christmas music of the First Baptist church will be given on Sunday morning at the time of the regular church service. The choir of the Methodist church [illegible] a special service to be held at [illegible] p. m. in the Second church building. The United Congregational church will hold its Christmas carol service at the time for the regular evening service.

Men's initial handkerchiefs, 20c, three for 50c. The Robinson & Hancock Co.

NO BIG CHAIR IN FIREPLACE CORNER FOR THIS ILLUSTRIOUS GRANDMOTHER

Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart and her granddaughter, Bab.

A comfy chair set well back in the corner near the fireplace, where she will be out of the way, is far from the position occupied by this charming grandmother. She is Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart, one of our foremost writers of fiction. The baby is her granddaughter, "Bab," daughter of her only son, Stanley M. Rinehart. Mrs. Rinehart divides her life into "work, play and love." Aside from her home life she works zealously in the woman's council of the Republican party. The other duties of this modern grandmother are these: She writes three scenarios a year and supervises their production in a west coast studio; writes a novel a year and usually one of the six best sellers; writes short stories for magazines; writes plays, having three now on Broadway and two more in the making, to say nothing of numerous special articles for magazines and papers. Pretty good for a grandmother, isn't it?

TWO INJURED BY TRACTION CAR

SPRINFIELD, O., Dec. 17.—Paul O'Merril of this city, and Stanley Balmier of Chicago were seriously injured late last night when their automobile and an Ohio Electrictraction car collided. Merrill sustained internal injuries but physicians say both will recover.

TWO MILLION LOSS AT NEW ORLEANS

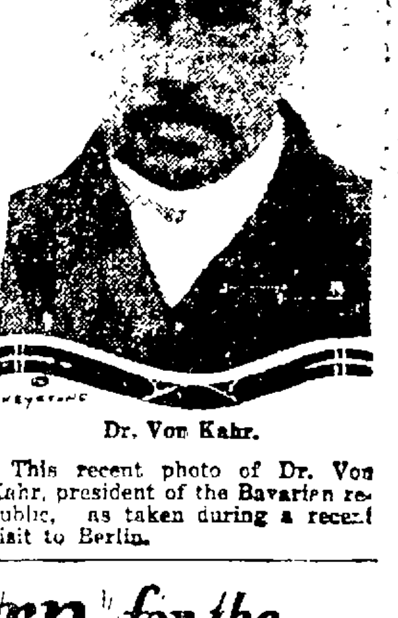
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 17.—Work began today on rebuilding the Jahncke drydocks, destroyed yesterday by fire which also damaged three ships anchored nearby, entailing a loss of approximately $2,000,000. Building materials were assembled last night and every available employe of the company put at work this morning on reconstruction. Damage to the drydocks and wharves is estimated at $900,000 while the steamer Dade County was damaged to the extent of $150,000, the Dillwyn $60,000 and the Bavington $4,000.

The fire was caused by a broken electric power wire which fell into the river covered by oil escaping from a nearby tanker.

Deport "Ambassador"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17—Deportation of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, soviet "ambassador" to the United States ordered.

BAVARIA'S CHIEF EXECUTIVE PAYS VISIT TO BERLIN



Dr. Von Kahr.

This recent photo of Dr. Von Kahr, president of the Bavarian republic, as taken during a recent visit to Berlin.

INTERNATIONAL GRAIN AND HAY EXPOSITION.

[National Crop Improvement Service]

A THOUSAND ten-ear samples of corn will form a part of the big hay and grain show at Chicago in connection with the International Livestock Exposition from November 27th to December 4th, 1920, at which prizes totaling $10,000 will be awarded by the Chicago Board of Trade to encourage general crop improvement.

Prof. Christie, who is the director of the show, announces that the samples will be ten ears this year instead of twenty, as last year. A class has also been provided for single ears. The millers will offer a trophy for the best sample of milling wheat and the oats millers a trophy for the best sample of oats, and there will be competition also for field peas, soy beans, cow peas, clover, alfalfa, timothy, alsike, etc.

It is generally conceded that this will be the best hay and grain show ever held.

RATES OF TAXATION

In pursuance of Law, I. A. Baker, Treasurer of Lorain County, Ohio, do hereby give notice that the number of mills levied on each dollar of property listed for taxation within said county for the tax year 1920 is as follows

FOR STATE PURPOSES: State Common School fund 1 8 mills, State School Levy fund, 1 mill, State Highway fund .5 mill, total State Levy 3 3 mills

FOR COUNTY PURPOSES: County fund, .3745 mill, Poor fund, .1875 mill; Children's Home fund, .1063 mill; Bridge fund, .1813 mill; Building fund, .0875 mill, Indigent Soldiers' fund, .0187 mill, Blind Relief fund .0063 mill, Mothers' Pension fund, .0350 mill; Election fund, .0313 mill; Judicial fund, .1090 mill; Ditch fund, .0313 mill, Agricultural Society fund, .0113 mill, General Interest and Sinking fund, .1637 mill, Black River Bridge fund .0400 mill; Road Improvement fund, .1630 mill; State Aid Road fund, 1 mill, Road Repair fund, 1.113 mills, total County Levy, 3.65 mills.

FOR LOCAL PURPOSES: See table below.

The total rate for the following districts include special levies not shown in the table of rates, as follows. Amherst Twp., .395 mill for Hospital fund, Amherst Corp., .395 mill for Hospital fund and .714 mill for Light fund. South Amherst Corp., .395 mill for Hospital fund. Brownhelm Districts .015 for Ground Hog fund. Elyria Corp., .165 mill for Park fund. Huntington Twp., .194 mill for Bridge fund. La Grange Districts, .18 mill for Hawk fund. Pittsfield Twp., .042 mill for Town Hall fund. Ridgeville Twp., .19 mill for Town Hall fund. Sheffield Districts, .008 mill for Cutting Weeds fund and .006 mill for Town Hall fund. Wellington Districts, .171 mill for Town Hall fund.

TOWNSHIPS / SCHOOL DISTRICTS / CORPORATIONS	State Levy	County Levy	School Levy*	General	Ditch	Poor	Interest and Sinking	Road	Health	Library	Cemetery	General	Safety	Service	Interest and Sinking	Pension	Emergency Flood	Total Rate
	(TOWNSHIP PURPOSES										)	(CORPORATION PURPOSES					)	
	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.
Amherst Twp.	3 3	3 65	3.084	.28	.0131	...	...	2.176	.172							....	....	13.6
Amherst Corp.	3 3	3.65	5.721	.28	.0131	...	...	.....	26		.032	151	448	939	.927	....	....	16.8
South Amherst Corp.	3 3	3 65	3.634	.26	.013	...	...		185			895	526	592	1.75	....	....	15.2
Avon Corp.	3 3	3 65	1.4	....		....		194	236	...	.061	734	076	2 139	5 3	....	....	17.
Avon Lake Corp.	3 3	3 65	1.825	...				.584	149	..	..	.693	.174	1 391	1 634	....	....	13 2
Black River Twp.	3 3	3 65	2 988	053	....	.088		2 367	154		....	....				...	....	12 6
Black River—Vermilion V. S. D.	3 3	3 65	3 42	053	..	.088		3.7	154	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	13 032
Lorain Corp	3 3	3 65	6 507	053		.088		2	.197	.179		....	1.651	1.072	3.136	.151	.016	20 2
Brighton Twp	3 3	3.65	5 968	5	42		596	2 9	.176	.	.09	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	18
Brownhelm Twp	3 3	3 65	3	.205	...	.059		3 266	157	....	148	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	13 8
Brownhelm—Vermilion S S D	3 3	3.65	3.	.205	....	.059		3 266	.157	....	148	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	13 8
Brownhelm—Vermilion V S. D.	3 3	3 65	3 42	.205	....	.059		3.266	167	....	.148	.	.....	.....	.....	....	....	14.22
Camden Twp.	3 3	3 65	3.	387	.059	...		.	173	....	195	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	13.8
Carlisle Twp	3 3	3.65	2 62	645	....	.084	...	2 588	169	...	039	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	13
Columbia Twp.	3.3	3 65	4 035	.366	....	. .	1 916	3	154	....	329	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	16 8
Columbia—Strongsville S. S. D.	3.3	3 65	7.7	366	....	..	1 966	3	.154	....	329	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	20.465
Eaton Twp	3 3	3.65	2 1	.113	....	.048	.	2 228	161	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	12 6
Elyria Twp.	3 3	3 65	3	.022	....	.147	.	2 797	18	...	.004	...	.....	.....	.....	....	....	13.
Elyria Corp.	3 3	3 65	6 69	.022	....	.047	.	1 5	.131	....	004	.201	1.72	1.113	1.231	.057	.15	20.2
Grafton Twp.	3 3	3 65	2 866	.628	....	159	2 358	2	.165	....	.064	.	.....	.	.....	....	....	15 2
Grafton Corp.	3 3	3 65	5 646	639	....	159	.	....	063	....	.064	.025	.197	.636	3.629	....	....	18.2
Henrietta Twp.	3 3	3 65	2 248	.281	....	.057	.....	5	.18	...	.084	.	.....	..	.....	....	....	14 8
Henrietta—Vermilion S S D.	3.3	3 65	3	.281	....	057	.....	5	.18	....	.084	.	.....	.....	.....	....	....	15 552
Huntington Twp.	3 3	3 65	5 265	.327	....	...		2 4	171	....	.097	...	.....	.....	.....	....	....	15 4
La Grange Twp.	3 3	3 65	5 53	.456	...	028	3	2.	.181	....	.037	...	.....	.....	.....	....	....	15 2
La Grange Corp.	3 3	3 65	5 53	.456	....	028	.	...	12	....	037	.927	.132	1.591	4.211	....	....	20
Penfield Twp.	3 3	3 65	3	...	....	....	..	5	.174	....	.076	...	.....		.....	....	....	15.2
Pittsfield Twp	3 3	3 65	3	.41	...	...		3	198	....	....	...	.....	....	.....	....	....	13 6
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Lorain County Treasurer's Office,
Elyria, Ohio, November 23 1920.

A. BAKER, Treasurer

Society Events

December 17—Americanization Annual meeting.
Dec. 23.—Blue Moon Club Christmas Dance.

OLD FRIENDS HONOR A. L. GARFORD

Ex-Ambassador Sharp Gathers Neighbors and Business Associates as Farewell Courstey

Last evening at the Country club there gathered on the invitation the Hon. William G. Sharp, more than twenty old friends and neighbors of both the Hon. Arthur L. Garford and Mr. Sharp in honor of Mr. Garford, as a worthy tribute and send-off on his departure with his family to California for the winter.

The first half hour was spent in greetings among the guests and a happy hour it was. All save two who were invited, responded. J. C. Hill was not present because of his illness, but a rising vote was taken as an expression of sympathy toward the veteran banker and citizen in the business and comunity life of Elyria and Lorain county. The other was Rev. J. H. Grant, who was unavoidably detained by a previous engagement, much to the regret of the guests present.

Following the meal in the ample dining room, the host, Mr. Sharp, remarked that an occasion of this character would not be complete without remarks relative especially to the honored guest. Thereupon Mr. Sharp proceeded to call for expressions from everyone present. Not one in the "round table talk" failed to respond.

The Hon. George H. Ely was the first on his feet. He spoke in the highest terms of commendation relative to the life and services of Mr. Garford, reminding the guests that Mr. Garford was his cousin by marriage, and that he was proud of it; that he was indebted to Mr. Garford for so many kindnesses that it would be useless to undertake to enumerate them. Mr. Ely also paid high tribute of respect to the character and achievements of the host.

Judge Nye informed the guests that he had known Mr. Garford since he was a boy. That he had done more to build up the industries of Elyria than any other citizen in the city; that he is a man whose heart is easily touched in acts of benevolence. He compared the two lives of Mr. Sharp and Mr. Garford to the Allegheny and and Monongahela rivers with which he was familiar as a boy; that when their waters first meet they are of a different hue, but as they flow along together in forming the Ohio, they finally blend, creating the magestic river. It was a happy illustration. Of Mr. Sharp's congressional career and that of the ambassador, he paid befitting tribute.

Judge Stroup in his forceful way, recounted the achievements of the two gentlemen and called upon the audience to not forget that back of Mr. Garford in all of his successes has been a noble wife, who has had much to do in bringing about the things he has accomplished.

Attorney L. B. Fauver notified the audience that he is a back door neighbor of Mr Garford; that as a citizen and man of affairs who has been able to acomplish things he is worthy of the greatest consideration and respect. He paid a like tribute to the life and accomplishments of Mr. Sharp.

Mayor Jones endorsed all that had been said and in his happy way and reached high notes in his remarks concerning the two gentlemen.

S. H. Squire, in reviewing breifly by flitting language the careers of the two gentlemen, closed with the recital of a poem that touched the hearts of everyone present

T. T. Robinson reminded the audience of a speech he had heard recently, in which the orator made three classifications of men. He wound up by a happy tribute to Mr. Sharp for his services and by placing Mr. Garford as a successful busines man in the first column.

Charles Braman who grew up with both of the gentlemen, in his polished way, in a few words, reviewed their lives, paying just tribute to the things they had accomplished and the honors they have brought to their home city.

Judge Washburn of the court of appeals, told his auditors that he would point out a fact in the life of Mr. Garford, worthy of consideration and imitation by all and that was, that whenever he was in the city on Sunday, he was found in his pew in the church. The Judge took occasion to admonish all present of the fact that all we have on earth that is worth while comes in its final analysis from thec hurch, and that everybody on that day should be found in a house of worship.

Mr. Sharp turned to Judge Redington to deliver a judicial opinion of Mr. Garford, which he proceded to do in his easy and incisive manner, and it was apparent to all present when the judge handed down his opinion that the honorable gentleman had won his case, and that it would not be reversed by Judge Washburn in the court of appeals.

Mr. E. F. Allen, known in this [illegible] and true," wishing Mr. Garford and family bon voyage, the guests departed.

PUPILS THROUGHOUT CITY ARE CELEBRATING TODAY BIRTHDAY OF CHRIST CHILD

Today in the schools of this city the spirit of Christmas is prevailing in the programs being presented and which are being participated in by practically every pupil in the Elyria schools. The birthday anniversary of the Christ Child, the message it conveys to all mankind in the beautiful slogan, "Peace on Earth, Good Will To Man," was the key note of the splendid programs presented, in many cases by each room of the buildings, individually and in some schools by the rooms combining for the exercises.

At the high school, even though the playlet to be presented is in accordance with the celebration of the Pilgrim Tercentenary, the History class giving "The Courtship of Miles Standish," yet, the spirit of the season prevails in every detail and as the students portray the hardships of those early settlers is it not hard for them to appreciate their own blessings. Special music and beautiful carols were also features of the program.

At McKinley school promptly at 2:30 this afternoon, Santa Claus arrived and the pupils and halls of this building were in gala attire as well as anticipation for this big event. In honor of his coming they had arranged a beautiful program of music, recitations and the reading of the Wonder story of the reason for Christmas. Mrs. Symons, principal of this school, was in charge of the festivities but was ably assisted by many efficient co-workers.

At Hamilton school, with Miss Elizabeth Freese, principal, presented a splendid program in the form of a pageant, depicting Christmas in all Lands, and here also was the Christmas story told in song and recitation.

At Franklin, Garford, Ridge, Jefferson and the Social Settlement the programs presented, while not extensive, were beautiful and showed careful teaching and training of the principals and teachers, who have so earnestly worked to instill the proper spirit of Christmas into the minds and hearts of the children.

St. Mary's and St. Agnes also St. John's parochial schools will not begin the holiday season until next week and will at that time present appropriate exercise in observance of the glad season.

At the conclusion of todays exercised the pupils of Elyria public schools are through with study routine until January third.

OHIO WESLEYAN STUDENTS ARRIVE HOME TODAY

Elyria students in attendance this year at Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware, who will arrive home this evening to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, are The Misses Gladys Williams, Gladys Miller, Naomi Marsh and Josephine Lockard and Messrs. Allen Bates, Donovan Granger, Robert Savage and George Garver.

MASONIC DANCING CLUB SCORES ANOTHER SOCIAL SUCCESS

Over two hundred were in attendance last evening at the most successful dancing party which was presented by the Masonic Dancing club, and as these affairs are becoming to be known as the special social events of the season, last evening was no exception. The fact that Johnson's Society orchestra, of Cleveland furnishes the music for these parties adds additional enthusiasm as this orchestra has long been quite a favorite with many Elyrians.

ANNUAL MEETING OF AMERICANIZATION COUNCIL TONIGHT FOR MUCH BUSINESS

The annual meeting this evening of the Americanization Council which will be held in the First Congregational church, will feature the election of officers for the next year, the report of officers of the past year and the election of a board of trustees. The public is not only invited, but urged to attend this meting this evening which will be held at 7:30 o'clock

REBEKAH LODGE ENTERTAIN MANY GUESTS AT INTERESTING SESSION

There were visitors in attendance on Wednesday evening at the meeting of St. Claire lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, who entertained, aside from members of Anchor lodge of Grafton, delegations from Edgewater and Lakewood orders.

A class of five was initiated and following the beautiful exemplification of the work a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed.

DR. AND MRS. JASTER SECURE FINE MAPS FOR McKINLEY SCHOOL

A set of maps of recent publication have been presented to the McKinley school building. The gift was obtained from Hon. M. L. Davey, congressman, by Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Jaster. Congressman Davey having been a friend of Dr. Jaster's before his locating in this city.

JEWISH LADIES AID SOCIETY HAVE SPLENDID MEETING YESTERDAY

Mrs. A. Altfield was hostess Wednesday evening at her home, 324 Fourth street, at the meeting of the Jewish Ladies Aid Society, the occasion featuring, aside from the transaction of business, a lovely luncheon and a delightful social hour.

ELYRIA TEACHERS FROM AWAY TO SPEND SEASON WITH THEIR OWN PEOPLE

Christmas vacation will be a happy time for the many Elyria school teachers whose homes are from away as the two weeks' holidays will enable them to spend this season with their home folks in various sections of the country as follows:

The high school teachers from a distance include Miss Helen Todd, who wil go to her home in Chicago, Miss Grace Willet, who goes to Plymouth, Miss Grace Allen, who goes to her home in Watertown, N. Y.; Miss Flossie Klopfenstein wil go to her home in Orrville, Miss Helen Colby to Bellevue, Miss Eleanor Carr to Kansas City, Miss Wilhelmina Gebbert, to Plymouth. Mr. and Mrs. Wood to their relatives home near Dayton; Mr. Vetesk to spend Christmas with his mother in Pennsylvania, Mr. Miller of the comercial department goes to his home in Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Bowlder will go to Mrs. Bowdler's people in Johnstown, Pa.; Miss Erma Highland, teacher of art and penmanship, wil go to her home in Salem, O.

At Garford school, Miss Ella Bainbridge will go to her home in Fields for the holidays; Miss Lizzie Hahn, principal at Garford, will spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Stevenson, at Bronwhelm.

At Ridge school, Miss Hazel Hathaway will spend the holidays with her people at Columbia Station.

From Gates school, Miss Dorothy West will go to her home in Perry, O., and Miss Nellie Wilserson goes to her home in Hickville.

From Jefferson school, Miss Ethel Lundberg goes to her home in Olean, N. Y.; Miss Bessie Downing goes to Janette, Pa.; Miss Mary Andrews to Adamsville, Pa.; and Miss Hazel McShane to East Liverpool.

From the Social Settlement, Miss Naomi Ashbrook will go to Findlay, Miss Edith Gill to her home in Medina and Miss Frances Cleland, settlement kindergarten will spend the holidays at her home in Oberlin, also visiting relatives in Omaha, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner of 416 East avenue, have been entertaining as their guests the past week, their son and wife from Detroit.

NARCISSUS CLUB ENTERTAINED

A pleasant affair of yesterday was the meting of the members of the Narcissus club, who were entertained by Mrs. B. T. Bastian and Mrs. B. J. Whitney at their home, 102 Cornell avenue, at a delightful one o'clock luncheon at which covers were placed for ten.

The appointments for the affair were carried out with Christmas sugestions and colors and the feature of the entertainment was the Christmas box from which was made the exchange of gifts.

REBEKAH SOCIAL CLUB PRESENTS FINE PROGRAM AND EXCHANGE GIFTS

There was a splendid meeting of the Rebekah Social club last evening in the I. O. O. F. hall and the attendance and program presented was most gratifying. The selections presented were all in keeping with the Christmas season and consisted of appropriate recitations, solos and tableaux and the exchange of gifts were made by means of grab bags.

A social hour and refreshments concuded the peasant and profitable evening.

LORAIN COUNTY WOMAN SHOSEN VICE PRESIDENT OF STATE C. C. LEAGUE

Mrs. B. H. Rickard of this city has been in attendance this week in Marion, Ohio, at the first annual meeting of the Ohio Child Conservation League, representing the local chapter reports a splendid convention with a large attendance and much enthusiasm. The following officers were elected at yesterday's afternoon session, Lorain county being honored by the selection of a vice president.

President, Mrs. Addison Bain, Marion; vice presidents, Mrs. L. C. Miller, Van Wert; Mrs. Alberta Moore, Dover; Mrs. A. W. Clendenen, Lorain; Mrs. Mary Shaylor, Ashtabula; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Rodney Hume, Marion; recording secretary, Mrs. Lenore Cropsey, Sandusky; treasurer, Mrs. M. Thorn, Warren

VIOLIN SOLOS FEATURE CHRISTMAS VESPERS

Prof. Maurice Koessler of Oberlin, favorite violinist with Elyria music lovers will appear with the quartet in solo and obligato parts, Sunday afternoon at the First Congregational church, on the occasion of Christmas Vespers. Miss Rose Peterson, a Conservatory singer and Mrs. Augustus F. Terry at the piano, will assist also. The full program will appear on the church page in Saturday's Chronicle-Telegram.

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The most popular boudoir cap in Paris today is said to be this "Phrygian cap," or cap of liberty. It is made of Chantilly lace with medallion insets of brocaded ribbon outlined in narrow black velvet. The cap is also edged with the velvet and with a ruffle of the dainty lace. It is just the fitting accompaniment for one of the exquisite new negligees.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Minard left today for Cincinnati, where they will visit Mrs. Minard's brother, Mr. Virgil Scaggs, for a few days and the first of next week will go to Huntington, W. Va., to spend the holidays with her mother and sister.

Miss Clare Friday of West River street, was the guest last evening of Miss Mary Adams of Oberlin and inattendance at the presentation of the Oratorio "Elijah" in Finney Chapel.

Alfred H. Grant, student at Exeter Academy, N. H. arrived on Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Grant of 130 Harrison street.

Miss Doris Austin, who is a teacher in fancy and interpretative dancing, at a select school in Knoxville, Tenn., will arrive home in Elyria the last of next week, to spend the Christmas holidays with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bins, of Middle avenue.

Miss Eleanor Carr, of the Spanish department, Elyria High school left today for her home in Kansas City to spend the holidays.

Miss Helen Marsh is expected today from Penn College, to spend the holidays at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Anna Paine Marsh of Earl court.

Miss Katherine Tuck, general secretary of the local Y. W. C. A. will leave the last of next week for her home in Williamsport, Pa., where she will spend the Christmas vacation with her parents.

Miss Mary Newland of the Y. W. C. A. staff will spend the holidays with her parents in Cadiz, Ohio, and Miss Grace Cole will go to her home in Akron for Christmas.

BISHOP ANDERSON'S VISIT TO THIS CITY AN EVENT OF NEXT MONTH

An event of more than usual interest and anticipation is the visit of Bishop W. F. Anderson, of the Cincinnati area, who will come to this city on the evening of January ninth and deliver an address in the auditorium of the First Methodist church.

Bishop Anderson brings a wonderful message and all who have heard his addresses in the past are filled with anticipation for his next visit, as he has been abroad since his last visit and in all has visited foreign countries on six trips abroad, this fact enabling him to give first hand information of conditions in foreign lands.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED FOR SPANISH CLUB OF ELYRIA HIGH SCHOOL

The Spanish Club of the High school resumed its activities under Miss Carr's direction and so far it has held three meetings.

At the first meeting the following officers were elected, Noah Hays, president; Effie Sharp, vice president; Albert Kladney, secretary; and Myron Worthington, treasurer As there wes no program prepared for the first meeting, Mrs. Carr gave a splendid talk on her trip to Spain last summer.

A program committee was appointed and at the next meeting an interesting program was given which consisted of a play presented by Ethel Racal, Edward Juchem and Eldred Elliott also an article on Alfonso by Mary Sboit and this session was concluded with games.

At the last meeting, a play was also given this time by Eleanor Thomas, Orville Leham and Robert Danford and two articles wer translated from the Spanish newspaper "El Eco" by Albert Reed and Verne Bruddon. Lastly the members enjoyed the Spanish records lent by Mr. Shay.

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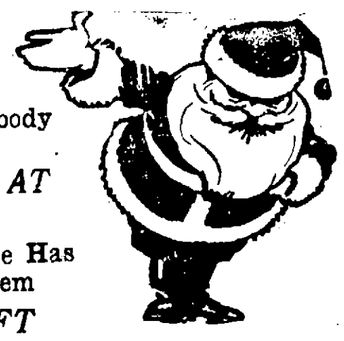

CHRISTMAS VESPERS HELD NEXT SUNDAY AT LOCAL Y. W. C. A.

The Christmas vesper service at the Young Women's Christmas association will be held in the gymnasium on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 19, at 3 o'clock.

The service will take the form of a pageant in which will appear the prophets, the angels, shepherds, wise men and Mary and Joseph.

The pageant itself will be given by the members of the Alumni Friendship club, while carols will be sung by the girls of the High School Friendship club.

Following the service in the gymnasium, a story hour will be held in the association parlors.

All Y. W. C. A. members and their friends are invited to be present at the Christmas service

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2 cans String Beans	25c	Jello Any flavor	15c
2 cans Kidney Beans	25c	Crisco, any size, lb.	28c
2 cans Pumpkin	25c	Holly, well berried, lb.	20c
2 cans Lima Beans	25c	2 lbs. Black Walnuts	15c
Sugar Corn, can	15c	New Hickory nuts, lb.	15c
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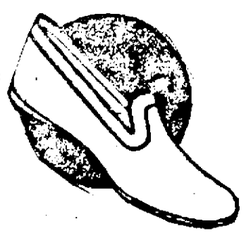

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RETALIATORY MEASURES WILL NOT WIN

The news dispatches carry the declaration that in the spirit of retaliation for the burning of Cork, that London will soon suffer from being burned and looted.

While we feel that the outrages in Ireland appeal to the pity, and provoke the indignation of every thinking man, we do not believe that anything would be gained by work of retaliation.

No remedy lying in a course of that kind could aid there in the case of Ireland, or, in any other case of injustice. Great Britain must finally settle her accounts at the bar of international justice, and millions of Americans who have admired Great Britain, and particularly her apparent genius for administration, have been driven from a position of friendliness to one of hostility.

The wrongs will finally be righted, but not by retaliation in kind. In this, usually only the innocent suffer. The ones who are responsible for the outrages are rarely touched.

THE BIG FOUR CONTROL

We have pointed out before, in this column, that the Council of the League of Nations runs the league; and hence the Big Four, as long as America remains [illegible] all the rest.

This truth was well evidenced in the recent action in regard to the compulsory feature in the World Court which it was proposed to establish.

The smaller nations naturally looking after their protection before a court of justice desired that the court could take and would have the power to take jurisdiction of the case, and the four great powers were opposed. All of the other thirty-six nations favored it, but with Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan opposed, the Big Four decided on behalf of power rather than on behalf of justice.

It was pointed out in the debate that if such a court had existed in 1914, Austria would not have agreed to go before that court with its case against Servia. Whereas, if there was a compulsory feature to the provision it would have had to submit its case to the jurisdiction of the court. But still justice loses and power wins.

HE IS RECOVERING

President Wilson is to be congratulated on the fact that he has had his mind clarified unquestionably by the late election. Before that time, and particularly before the President's illness, the President had taken the position that Congress had little authority and less business to mix in any foreign matters, but now as he accepts the role as mediator between Turkey and Armenia he explains to the league assembly that it is not his place to send armed forces abroad and he does not know exactly what Congress will do.

You can never make us believe that last November's election did not accomplish other valuable things besides the election of Mr. Harding. And incidentally we believe we are able to guess about what Congress will do in regard to sending an army abroad at this time, or in the near future.

THEY BEGIN TO DWINDLE

Argentina withdrew from the conference of the nations when the other nations refused to consider the change in the covenant, which would allow the assembly to elect the Council, and a few other changes of equal importance.

With Argentina, Canada and Australia out, America will soon have some real company besides the central nations of Europe.

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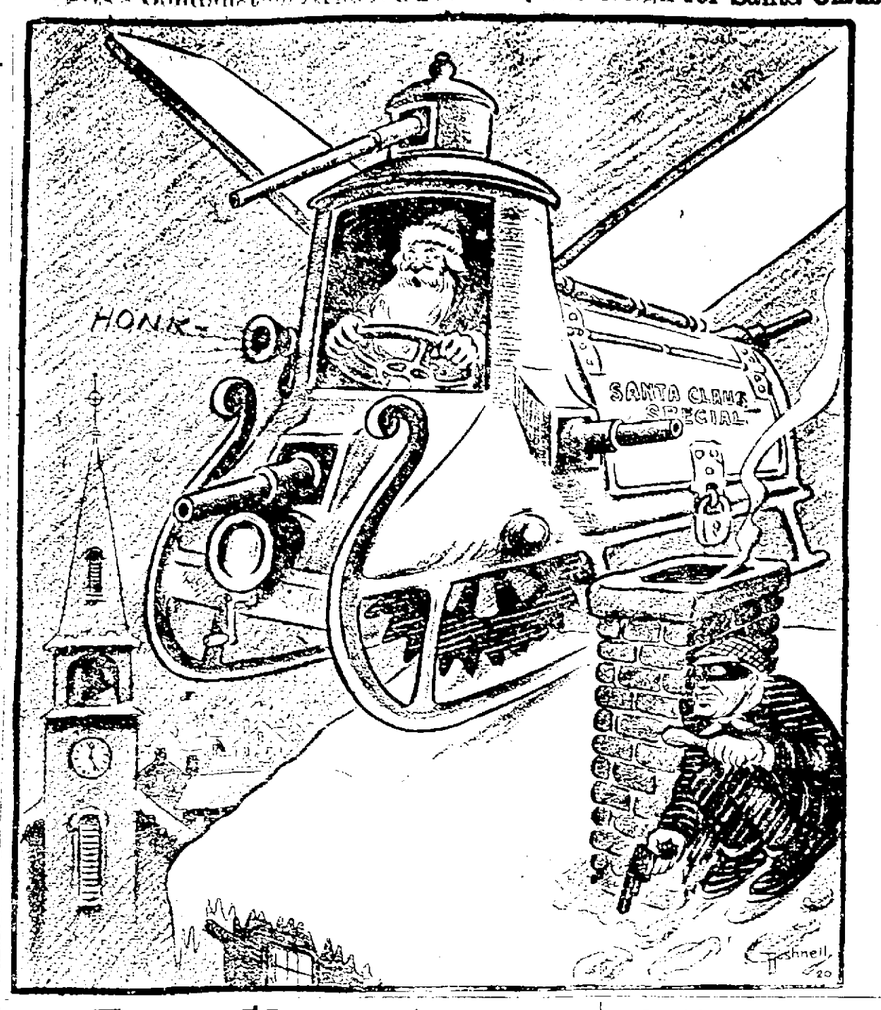

Forty Years Ago

C. S. Johnson & Co. purchased the Grocery stock of Mrs. H. Brush and refurnished and refitted the large store in the Mussey block.

J. A. Bean, cheapside grocer was advertising the following specials: sugar 10 cents, Java coffee 35. Goldberg and brother were having a sale on delmans, also dress goods at 6 1-4 cents per yard.

Dibble Bazaar was one of the headquarters for Santa Claus. Also H. J. Eady's store was thronged with holiday shoppers.

The Catholic fair was a great financial success, the church workers clearing over $1500. In the cave voting contest, excitement was unbounded, the final count showing 1428 votes for W. P. Hatch and 1067 for J. W. Hart. Miss E. Kuchenrither won over Miss Carlin for the gold cross and chain. Mr. Hamill's son won the furniture suite.

The new social addition of the Methodist church was used for first time and a vote of thanks extended Messrs. Hannan and Obhitts for the new cooking stove.

ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT

BY ROY K. MOULTON

A MEMORY.

The good old ship George Washington
She sailed across the sea,
To take to France some wise savants
To talk for you and me.
The good old ship George Washington
Was met with glad acclaim.
The greatest trip that any ship
Had ever made to France.

The good old ship George Washington
She sailed back home again.
Her load of disappointed hopes
She brought across the main.
She had discovered Europe, and
That much we must allow.
The good old ship George Washington—
Oh, where can she be now?

Mr. Bryan says, in an interview, that the president should resign and give the office to Mr. Marshall, so that the latter can settle the peace treaty at once. What Mr. Marshall has done to deserve this bit of hard work, Mr. Bryan does not state.

Charlie Murphy denies the allegation that he will step out of the throne chair in the Wigwam and give the place to Al Smith. It is only fair to say that that allegation was denied, not only by inference but by precedent, long before it was made by anybody. It is one of those allegations that die a-borning.

FALSE ALARMS.

They say The Panic now will come
And put the country on the bum.

They said that Halley's comet's tail
Would smite us with its fiery hail,

They said the Hun could not be beat,
And he would lay us at his feet.

They said that Soviets would blaze
Around the world in ninety days.

They said the League if torn apart
Would kill us all of "broken heart."

When all these prophesies come true
Then I'll expect The Panic, too.

Lenine's chief quality, says a returned laborite, is deep human sympathy." As a leader who has nothing to give but sympathy, he sure put his followers where they needed it.

Reviewing a rhymed geography in the "Literary Review," Samuel McCoy says: "In the next three couplets Mr. Van Waters achieves a batting average in poetry that exceeds .450. He fans out a rhyme no less than three times." Mr. McCoy knows more about poetry than he does about baseball. Three fans out of three times to bat doesn't make a batting average of .450.

To the victors belong the spoils—that is, to all the victors except Victor Berger.

From a sport story: "There were five knockouts, each in the first round, in the preliminary bouts at Columbus hall last night the proceeds of which will go toward building a new floor."

FATHER.

How his bosom swells with pride,
How he sighs in deep relief,
How he feels a happy thrill
That is 'most beyond belief.
How he laughs and shakes in glee,
How he almost chokes with joy,
When the nurse come down the hall
And she whispers, "It's a boy."

How he scowls and shakes his fist,
How he raves and paws the air;
How he mutters to himself
Awful exclamations there.

How his mind is full of doubt,
And his brain is in a whirl,
When the nurse comes to his side
And she whispers, "It's a girl."

How he clutches at the wall
And he gasps to get a breath,
How he reels as if to fall,
And his face turns white as death.
How he groans in his dispair,
And the nurse adroitly grins,
As she moats him on the stair
And announces, "They are twins."

Uncle Terwilliger says: "Old Hi Perkins of our town is disconsolate and refuses to be comforted. He got his wife's life insured for $25,000 and paid the premium five years in advance, and now the astronomers say the world is coming to an end in 1921."

Cable informs us that the Maharajah of Booch has nineteen wives. But perhaps he can afford it, because they don't wear hats or shoes.

HANDY HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To keep children amused give them a lot of rocks and lock them in the sun parlor.

It is only a slovenly housewife that lets her husband wash the dishes. The capable wife makes him wash them.

Goldfish need not be dusted oftener than once a week.

Wallpaper should be carefully folded in a cupboard when not in use.

Young brides when going shopping should remember that corned beef and cabbage have to be bought separately.

The man who invented the winter onion doubtless did a great deal for humanity, but we can't think just what it was.

KILLED IN RIOT

MANILA, Dec. 17—Four Americans and seven Filipinos killed in riot following clash between constabulary and police on December 15.

X-RAYS

If one half the money

That is spent by the government

To conduct their investigations,

Was spent in preventing

The cause of those investigations

There would be no need of

INVESTIGATIONS.

* * * * * *

And that leads us

To a real question.

Did you ever know

Of a government investigation

That amounted to shucks?

* * * * * *

Well, neither did we.

* * * * * *

Why is it

That auto drivers

Will drive their cars

Clear up on the ground

Instead of stopping them

At the curb

* * * * * *

If some folks' garage

Looked as untidy and ill kept

As their machines look—

Oh- What's the use

* * * * * *

When the cigarette habit

Gets such a firm hold

On a man or youngster,

That he has to leave

A theatre or movie

In order to take a smoke,

It's just about time

That this male species

Was taking inventory

Of his WILL POWER

* * * * * *

A great big man

Will never threaten

To lick an editor

Because of merited

Adverse criticism.

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In many cities

The art of chiropractic

Is growing very swiftly

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In many cities

Chiropractics

Advertise.

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Ethics vs advertising

Equals

Progress vs stagnation.

* * * * * *

I Thank You,

Arrange Postal Treaties

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17—Postal treaties providing for reciprocal domestic postage rates on letters and printed matters between U. S. and South and Central American countries, Mexico and Spain negotiated.

Men's $1.00 fibre silk hose, all colors, fine quality 75c per pair. The Robinson & Hancock Co.

OBSERVERS COLUMN

Sign in McHenry's meat market window, "Try our home made summer sausage."

A country school teacher went into a local candy store yesterday and bought ten pounds of twenty cent per pound candy for a Christmas treat for her scholars. Asked how many children she taught, she replied "twelve." Elyria physicans have their automobiles all tuned up ready to answer calls, day or night.

The barber shops are feeling the effects of hard times and many men who formerly shaved regularly are growing beards. Still others have taken to shaving themselves, as they claim they have no money to spend in dolling up at present.

TO REAPORTION HOUSE MEMBERSHIP

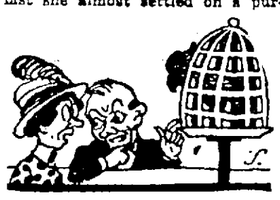
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17—Reapportionment of membership in the house of representatives to correspond with population changes as recorded in the 1920 census will be considered by Republican members of the house at a caucus called for tonight.

Nearly a half dozen re-apportionment measures have been presented since the convening of the present session. The principal one, submitted by Representative Siegel of New York, chairman of the census committee, provides for a house mebership of 483, as compared with a present membership of 435. Representative Hull of Tennessee has proposed a constitutional amendment which would fix 450 as the permanent maximum membership of the house. The only bill proposing a cut in the present membership was offered yesterday by Representative Blanton, Democrat, Texas, who suggests that the size of the house be cut to 304 members.

One of the measures bearing on the apportionment, which majority leaders plan to consider at tonight's meeting was offered by Representative Tinkham, Republican, Massachusetts. It would direct a congressional investigation ment in the southern states and a coresponding cut in the representation of those states in the house

DINNER STORIES

She had inspected every parrot in the store and the dealer was getting rather tired. She declared one bird was too green to go with the dining room and another too red for the drawing room, and so on. At last she almost settled on a purchase. Then suddenly she asked, "But is he a good gird? I mean, I hope he doesn't use dreadful language."



"He's a saint, lady," breathed the dealer fervently. "Sings hymns beautifully. I had some parrots what used to swear cruel, but you'll believe me, this here bird converted the lot of them."

In an ancient mansion in London which recently changed hands on account of the ups and downs of war-time fortunes there dwells and works a parlor maid of very expensive and rather cultured and superior type. Her mistress does not mind the expense, but is often much bothered by the culture, this being on too high a plane for her understanding.

"Ma'am," said the maid, meeting her mistress in the hall, "there is a mendicant at the door."

"Then tell him," said the mistress of the mansion, "we have nothing to mend."

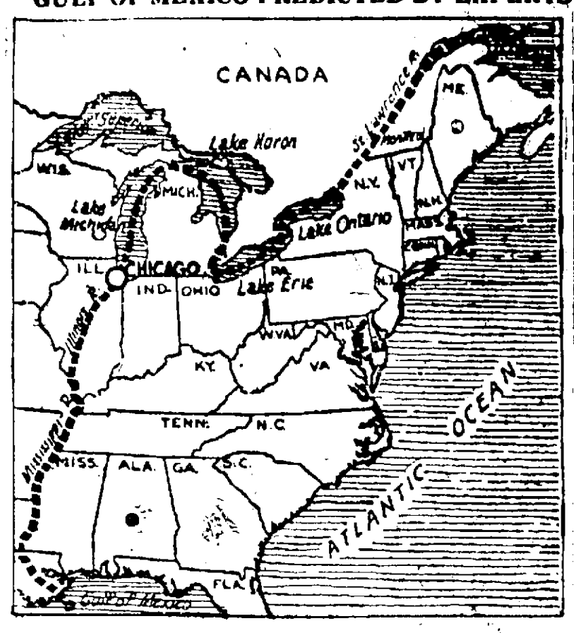
A fresh young man was pressing a gentleman, who evidently felt bored, to give him an illustration of the transmigration of souls, showing how a person's identity might be maintained. At last the old gentleman replied:

"Supposing you should die, your soul might appear in a canary bird; when the canary bird died it might reappear in a lion or a tiger; again, it might reappear in a jackass—and I might stroke its ear and say: 'My dear fellow, you have not changed a bit.'"

ABE MARTIN

Gov'nor Coolidge may not go t' Washington unless he can find a half vacant double house. Lafe Bud went huntin' t'day an' scared up a quart, but only got two sh[illegible]

WATER BELT FROM ST. LAWRENCE TO GULF OF MEXICO PREDICTED BY EXPERTS



Map shows the water-way from mouth of St. Lawrence to Gulf, as seen in near future by government authorities, and the vast territory which will be tributary to the waterway.

Chicago is destined to become the "buckle" of a navigable water belt which will extend from the Gulf of Mexico via the Mississippi river, the Illinois waterway, the Great Lakes, and the St. Lawrence to the Atlantic ocean, according to government experts.

Chicago civic, industrial and commercial interests, through the Association of Commerce, the Commercial club and other organizations, are preparing to make early and intensive study of plans developed to a basic working point by Col. William V. Judson.

Capture Escaped Man

Steubenville, Dec. 17—George Spears, escaped from Jefferson county jail ten days ago captured.

Hunters Shot Lynx

TIFFIN, Dec. 17—Full grown lynx, thirty inches in length, shot after being sought by many hunters.

After Draft Evaders

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17—One hundred and seven additional informations against alleged draft evaders filed in federal court.

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American Watches from	$10.00 up	American Wrist Watch	$18.50 up
Chains,	$1.50 up	Bar Pins	$1.00 up
Cuff Links	75c up	Brooches,	75c up
Scarf Pins	75c up	Diamond Rings	$16.50 up
Gold Knives	$1.50 up	Mesh Bags	$5.00 up
Solid Gold Rings	$2 up	Set Rings	$2.00 up
Sterling Silver Bells	$3.00 up	Lavaliers	$2.50 up
		Pearl Beads	$3.00 up
And many other useful gifts.		Toilet Sets in all styles at very reasonable prices.	

These pieces are the very lowest that high-grade merchandise can be sold for and we feel sure every person can have some piece of jewelry for this Xmas to make them happy. Every piece of goods sold in this store carries a Haserodt guarantee that is worth something to you, and the one who receives a gift from Haserodt's Jewelry Store knows it is good.

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Ohio Federation Women's Clubs.

By Mrs. Geo. Elliott McCormick
Director of Press

Volunteer Service Bureaus

"Why not a volunteer service bureau in every town?" asks Mrs J. H Schermerhorn, second vice president of the General Federation, in outlining her plan to interest clubwomen in this project and also to make some investigation of what clubwomen are doing in the way of conducting or assisting employment agencies for women Mrs Schermerhorn, whose address is No 11 Halstead place, East Orange, N. J. asks that any states or clubs having information to give for them to forward it at once in using establishment of bureaus, she declares

"There is first a campaign of publicity during which every club and other group is informed that there is a place where women can register for social service Every one who comes to register has a personal interview with a trained social worker who knows the community and can talk over with the volunteer all the opportunities of the locality and her own special fitness for one or another form of service For those who wish training special classes are organized Each applicant is given some field work under its supervision for intending teachers, she is given a chance to do special work in connection with a social agency A record is kept on a special card for her experience what she has done her successes The agency with which she works must report on her connection with it No one is allowed to do less than one-half day weekly of case work or less than one period of group work lest the service become too amateurish To this bureau all agencies needing special help apply For instance the visiting nurses want home visitors for their Chronic invalids and the blind society wants some one to read and talk or give craft lessons to the adult-ins

Ohio Federation Notes

Mrs William H Sharp Columbus president of the Ohio federation, heartily endorses the winter fly-swatting movement recently launched by the Merchants' association in New York City This campaign is carried on with the following as its slogan "One pair of flies swatted now will avert the possible plague of 324 000,000,000 potential decendants next autumn"

The Marion federation has grown so that it is to become a county affair It will be known as the Marion County Federation of Women's Clubs.

The Womans club at Bellaire is a civic organization Every year it accomplishes some definite piece of work for the city. Last year it secured collection of garbage for the people This club always has helped in clean up week It also backs the Red Cross drive The Woman's club at Shadyside near Bellaire, has set aside $1000 for the beginning of a community house fund, the building to be a memorial to the World war dead in the city The club has also given $100 to the child welfare fund It supports a community nurse, paid clean up bills donated plants and flowers for beautifying the school house grounds and gave $25 for fire department equipment

The Cambridge federation is wide awake The Kitchen Koo entertainment netted $551 A traveling basket at different times brought in $250 7 A traveling basket goes from house to house For every thing taken out of it a price is paid and something donated to take its place A donation of $314 00 was made by the $400 for new books at the public library, $240 to the high school for new moving picture machine $50 to the grades for supplementary reading $20 to the tate scholarship fund $30 as month's salary of sanitary policeman, and $1 100 to the Salvation Army the club sold the tickets for the Chautauqua and the Christmas seals Fifty press chairmen from the various federated clubs in the Los Angeles district are enrolled in a federation "school of journalism" California probably has the distinction of being the first to introduce this feature for the advancement of club work

KIMONAS AND ROOM ROBES MAKE GOOD CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Any one from [illegible] Christmas gift At the left is a striking Japanese robe of rich crepe de chine in a glorious rose shade, beautifully embroidered with characteristic Japanese lavishness in an iris design. In the center is a very pretty breakfast coat of soft [illegible] with large loose sleeves and a large soft collar which extends down the front in stole effect. It is made with a deep collar and large revers. [illegible] at the laps [illegible] no pockets and a distended hip line At the right is a bath robe of such unusual lines and design that it will find favor among many women who do not care for the ordinary bath robes It is made of dark red material, a soft wooly fabric with [illegible] on wrappy lines with [illegible] down the front in stole effect.

Turkey Laments The Foolish Virgins

"If only our women were a little less frivolous Now, who do you suppose uttered that wail of despair The French who are a frivolous nation The Americans whose young girls are proverbially irresponsible and who daily grow to be more of a pleasure loving people or is it an excerpt from an old Puritan harangue?

The answer is neither of these nor any of a dozen others that one might reasonably hazard It is the inscrutable Turk himself whose women have been creatures to be veiled and fettered in subjection who has led us to believe that he would be the last to admit that the influence of women was worth mentioning

And yet here at the very end of a long harangue in which a modern Turkish gentleman laments the fate of his nation and cries out against his countrymen for their indifference at the lot of Turkey comes the odd exclamation

We do not hear the sighs of a single carpenter's son, writes the editor of a Turkish daily, nor the pick of a single farm laborer We do not see a single sign of restoration or vitality We hear nothing but langorous music and the rollicking songs of our coffee shops * * * * * How quickly have we forgotten our wound which ought to have bled unceasingly (referring to the Sevres treaty)—and so on he goes until in the last paragraph of the article he lays the guilt at the door of women and exclaims "If only our women were a little less frivolous Most of them seem as if they were on their way to a performance in a theatre"

And this mind you, is said of the Turkish women who have never been ranked as equals with men

Yet even in Turkey these saddened gentlemen tacitly admit that the women are or could be the standard bearers who keep aflame the torch of idealism and patriotism and who could if they would, pass it along from generation to generation Thus we pride ourselves on our pleasant but comparatively insignificant victory of the vote, forgetting that wit hit or without it it is always our to set the standard of high morality, and ours to tend and water the delicate flower of a nation's idealims

How scant in comparison with other all task is the smaller part of active government all well enough, to be sure, of which we lately boast

Let us cast our votes by all means But in terms of peace or [illegible] be said of American women, If only our women were a little less frivolous" If only they had kept alive the principle of national honor and [illegible] If they had held up our [illegible] ideals If only our foolish virgins had trimmed their lamps The world [illegible] on the Turk adjusts that we hold these precious treasures in our hands

HAYS SHOW NO SIGN OF SANTA CLAUS ON JOB

WASHINGTON Dec 16—Whether the [illegible] of the country are ignorant [illegible] the possibility [illegible] department of have [illegible] the [illegible] quantity [illegible] consequently [illegible] there has been a decided increase in the volume of parcels passing up [illegible] the said announcement by the department, whereas by December 15 last year the mails had increased fifty per cent above normal.

"The people of the United States either have curtailed their christmas mailing this year or are putting it off until the last minute" the announcement said "Until last Tuesday reports throughout the country showed no sign whatever of an increase in the volume of mail and the increase shown by reports on that days movement of mail was so little as to be negligible"

Whereas by December 15 last year more than one fifth of the handled, the department said this year "practically none can be accounted for"

The public was warned that "congestion could not be avoided" if the negligible increase in the volume of mail meant that christmas mailing was being put off until the last few days even assuming that it is to be very much lighter this year than last A great volume of parcels dropped into the mails just before christmas day with the effect on train movements of bad weather conditions to be expected at that season would be [illegible] the announcement said

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Fruit
French Toast Fruit Syrup
Bacon Coffee

Luncheon.
Baked Corn
Lettuce Sandwiches
Iced Chocolate Custard Cake

Fish Dinner.
Steam Clams
Young Onions Chilled Cucumbers
Baked Fish
Baked Tomatoes Baked Potatoes
Coleslaw
Apple Pie Coffee

FISH RECIPES.

Boiled Fish Dinner—Select the fish and then wrap in a piece of cheesecloth. Place in a large kettle, cover with boiling water and add three tablespoons of vinegar, one onion, one clove, one carrot, cut in dice Boil, allowing fifteen minutes to the pound. Serve with egg and parsley sauce.

Egg and Parsley Sauce—Prepare one and a half cups of cream sauce and then add two hard-boiled egg (chopped fine), one-half cup finely chopped parsley, one and one-half teaspoons salt, one-half teaspoon pepper, one tablespoon of grated onion.

Fish Chowder—The New England Housewife makes a delicious and appetizing chowder from the heads of the fish Cleanse the fishheads thoroughly and then place in a saucepan, cover with cold water and add one-half cup finely chopped onions, one half cup finely chopped carrots, one faggot of herb herbs Simmer slowly until the meat falls from the bones and then lift out the bones, now add one cup of finely diced potatoes, one cup canned peas, one and one-half teaspoons salt, one half teaspoon pepper, one cup milk.

Summer slowly for fifteen minutes. Dish Fish Pie—For this dish use cold boiled fish. Grease the dish and then place a layer of the fish in the bottom, then a layer of raw diced potatoes, one grated onion, sprinkling of thyme. Repeat this until the dish is full and then cover with two and one-half cups of cream sauce. Sprinkle with fine crumbs and two tablespoons of grated cheese. Bake in a moderate oven for one hour. Use one pound of fish in preparing this dish.

The salt oysters are in seasons from May until November, and while they are much smaller than the fresh oysters, they are delicious when fried.

Baked Fish Dinner—Select the fish and then scale and place in a pan. Rub with shortening and dust with flour. Place the potatoes around the fish. Fill either tomatoes or green peppers with succotash and then bake in a slow oven for one hour. Serve with sauce.

DISCOVERIES.

Use for Old Shirtwaist—Old shirtwaists that are out of style may be made into nice corset covers by cutting out the sleeves and the neck. Trim with crochet or embroidery

To Keep Sailor Collars Straight—To keep sailor collars on children's suits and middies always in place sew two patent fasteners underneath the collar at lower ends, which snap into their corresponding sockets, sewed on the back of the waist

Substitute for Glass Tube—Sometimes a glass tube is necessary for a patient who is not able to sit up to drink A stick of macaroni may be used instead

A child who will refuse to drink from a glass may be induced to take it this way.

HEART AND HOME PROBLEMS

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson

Dear Mrs Thompson. I have been living here six months and do not seem to get acquainted In fact, I could count all the people whose acquaintance I have made, outside those I come in contact with at the office, on the fingers of my right hand How can I get acquainted with the young people here, especially the ladies of the respectable type?

In other cities where I have been there are Get Acquainted clubs and Strangers' Social clubs and places for a stranger in the city to meet other people and pass away his or her lonesome evenings. But here I do not find anything of this kind

I find my evenings very long and lonesome and would greatly appreciate any advice you could give me.
A LONESOME BACHELOR.

Your letter is not the only one I have received complaining about the inhospitality of the city. You ought to tell some of the people where you work that you are lonely and ask them to help you to get acquainted If you speak to your employer he may be able to suggest some private club and recommend you for membership. In this way you will make friends of your own sex and through them you will eventually become acquainted with some young ladies It would also help to attend a church and tell the minister that you are lonely and want to be introduced to people.

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Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a young man twenty-one years of age, very much in love with a young lady twenty years of age We were playmates when children, went to grade school and high school together and she says that he loves me, but she refuses to become engaged to me until I am able to buy her a diamond as large as she wants. I have offered to buy one that I can afford—a diamond of average size—but she says that she will not have any until I can buy the one she wants Would the size of the diamond make any difference if she really loved me?
"DOUBTFUL"

No, the size of the diamond would not count if the girl really loved you.

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Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a girl fourteen years of age I have been told that I am nice looking Do you think it is all right for me to go with a boy fifteen years of age to a movie? I take him just as a friend My mother doesn't care if I go with him just as a friend. But he has asked me different times to kiss him, at which I refused. MOTHER'S GIRL

You are too young to go to the movie with a boy You can see that he does not regard you just as a friend or he would not have asked to kiss you.

* * *

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a girl fifteen years old. Since youth it has been my only desire to be a moving picture actress. People tell me I am fit for such work. My parents have given their consent to go and try my luck Would you advise me to go? ANXIOUS

I would advise you to continue with your studies three years longer. You are too young to go now. Producers want intelligent actresses.

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Dear Mrs. Thompson: I hear you have a remedy for taking off a moustache. Will you please let me know what it is and if you have it let me know the price?
MISS A. C

I have no such remedy The only safe way to remove superfluous hair from the face is by means of the electric needle. When the electric needle is used, the roots are destroyed and the hair does not come back. Applications which remove the hair only increase the growth and coarsen it.

NEED FOUR MILLION TREES FOR KIDDIES

WASHINGTON Dec 16—A dollar should buy a family christmas tree and fifty cents an apartment tree symbol of yuletide spirit Charles L. Pack, president of the American forestry association, declared here today in a statement calling upon the American people to rebel against christmas tree profiteers.

"Last year," he said, "trees were drown in the river by carloads at Pittsburg, Cleveland and New York city."

It will take about four million trees to bring Christmas joy to the nations little folks this year, Mr Pack said, and no harm but rather good will come to the forests through scientific cutting

"The great harm comes in the profiteering element that we saw so much of the season of 1919" he said "In many cases prices charged were out of all proportion to the labor involved and to legitimate profit"

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$1.00
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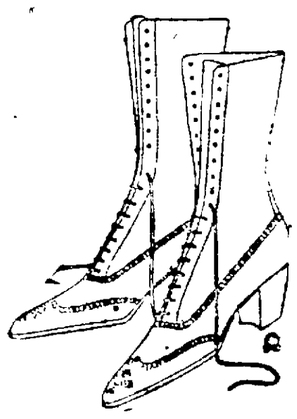

VANDERLIP, BACK, SAYS ATROCITIES, BOLSHEVISM REDS' HOPES

Washington D. Vanderlip.

"The tales of atrocities and 'Red terror' are propaganda. Bolshevism and communism will soon die in Russia and will be replaced by a republican government. The leaders will be the same as those heading the soviet government." Those are the opinions of Washington D. Vanderlip, American mining engineer who has just returned from "putting over" the biggest international business deal in history. Acting for a syndicate, he obtained commercial rights to a vast tract of oil and mineral lands in Russia.

Want Ditch Deepened

The county commissioners met this morning with a number of Oberlin residents and representatives of the N Y C railroad in regard to widening and deepening the Hill ditch in that territory. The matter is still in abeyance

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New mixed nuts lb . . 35c
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New mackerel, large, 16 oz , each 30c
Genuine codfish lb . 30c
Fine Florida oranges sweet & juicy, doz 25, 30 & 35c
Good lemons, doz , . 15c
Best Creamery Butter lb , ... 60c
Purity Oleo, lb , . 42c
Nut Oleo, lb , . . 34c
Best York State cheese, lb , ... 40c
Wisconsin cheese lb , . 35c
Hubbard squash lb , . 3c
Large can pumpkin . . . 12c
California hams, lb . . 25c
Best weiners lb . 25c
Sweet pickles, doz . 30c
Sauer kraut lb 8c, 2 lbs 15c

PUBLIC UTILITIES TAXES IN COUNTY GIVEN BIG INCREASE

Public utilities in Lorain county increased $2,127,16 more taxes this year than last according to figures compiled by Auditor Monroe Welty based on returns made to him by the tax commissioners of Ohio. This amount does not include that of steam roads [illegible] which are not available.

Mr. Welty has made a comparative statement of valuations and taxes assessed for the years 1919 and 1920 against the public utilities in Lorain county exclusive of steam railroads.

Telephone, telegraph and express companies—Valuation in 1920 $1,129,555 tax assessed $30,711.91. Valuation in 1919 $1,635,760 tax assessed $23,878.0. Increase in valuation in 1920 $90,790 increase in taxes $6,833.91.

Water works and electric lights—Valuation in 1920 $1,841,030 tax assessed $56,056.04. Valuation in 1919 $1,834,900 tax assessed $56,124.43. Decrease in valuation in 1920 $13,870. Increase in taxes $5,931.55.

Pipe lines—Valuation in 1920, $1,[illegible] tax assessed $26,021.97. Valuation in 1919 $1,[illegible] tax assessed $24,[illegible]. Decrease in valuation [illegible] increase in taxes $3,021.94.

Street railways—Valuation in 1920 $3,018,890 tax assessed $48,432.51. Valuation in [illegible] $37,094 increase in valuation $1[illegible] increase in tax $11,381.1.

Gross Total Valuations of 1920 [illegible] tax assessed $141,[illegible]. Valuation in 1919 $1,[illegible] tax assessed $12,894.0. Decrease in valuations in 1920 $88,7[illegible]. Increase in valuations $942,800. Increase in taxes $29,197.46.

TOWNSHIP LONG AGO GAVE CITY ITS BUILDIMNG

An account of the trustees of Elyria township occupying an office in the city hall building many residents imagine that the city owns an interest in the building but this is a mistake.

According to Uriah John Lingston the township transferred its interest in the property to the city 20 years ago with the provision that the trustees should be provided with an office on the ground floor for a period of 99 years.

The city agrees to light and heat the room during the term of the agreement and it is considered a good investment by both parties to the transaction.

SEEKS RESTRICTION OF IMMIGRATION ON RATIO BASIS

Sen. William P. Dillingham.

Senator William P. Dillingham of New Hampshire has presented a measure to restrict immigration to five per cent annually of the nationals of each country now in the United States. This, Senator Dillingham claims, would bring in a much larger number of central and northern European immigrants.

TOY MAKERS USE MUCH LUMBER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Some idea of the extent to which foreign made toys have been replaced in America by the home made articles is given by the estimate of the American Forestry Association that close to 80,000,000 feet of lumber was used this year by American toy makers.

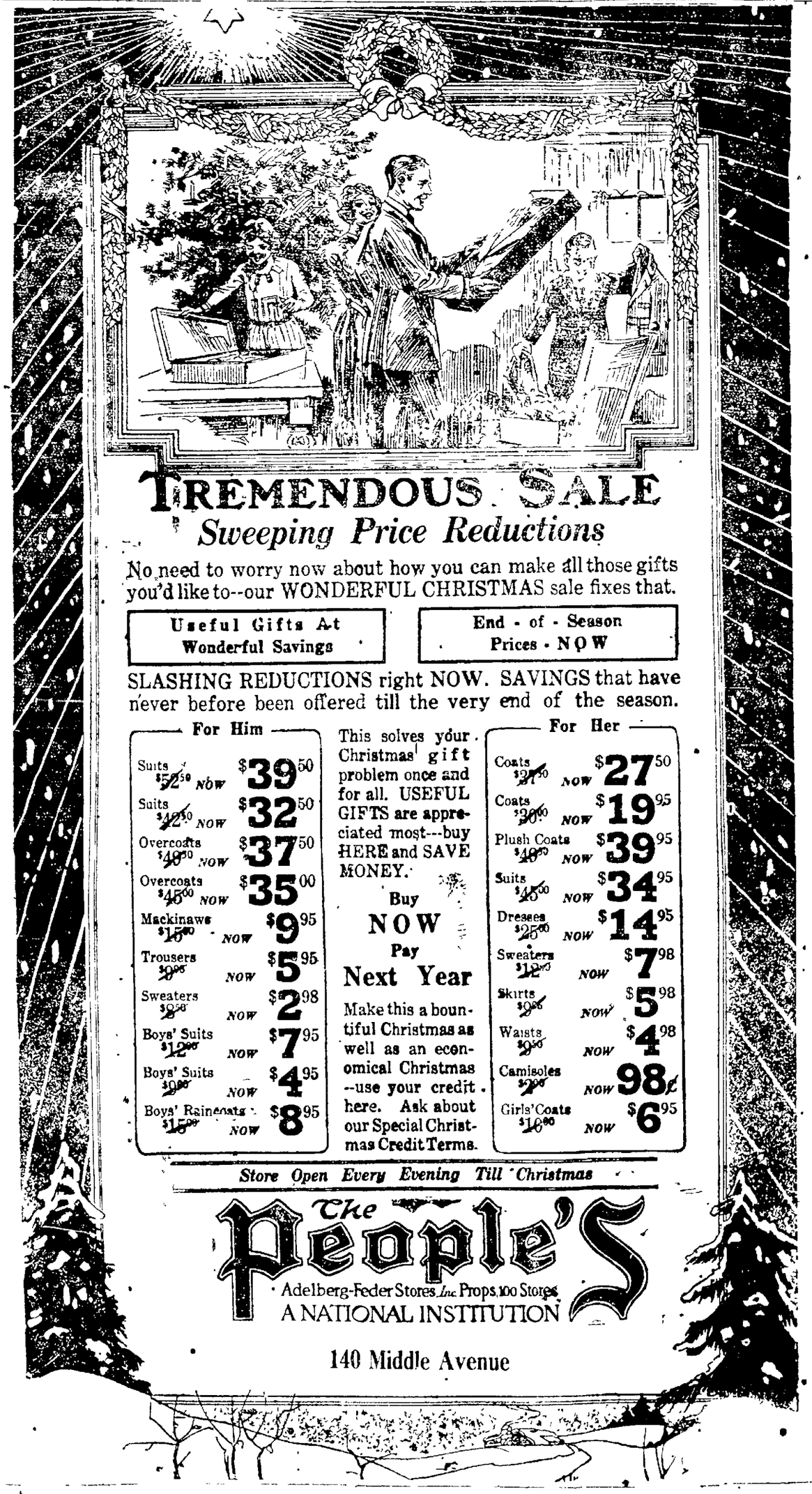
By adding the millions of toys made from this wood to the enormous quantity made of other material, the Forestry Association says some idea of the imensity of the industry will be gained. If the buying public will "look for the label", it adds, the foreign toys will be eliminated.

"The main consideration which holds wood in its place as toy material is not cheapness," says the association "though that has something to do with it. Articles of large size would be too heavy if made of metal but many articles are made of wood because it is the best, irrespective of cost or weight. Sleds are a good example.

Children are the arbiters of toy kinds and style. They imitate what they see around them and toy makers recognize this fact. The manufacturer supplies what the child wants by making a class of objects which may be designated as educational. Another class imitating things seen in actual life is recognized as architectural. A third has to do with trades and the tools and machines for carrying them on. A well defined group is based on the use of musical instruments. Boats, rafts, canoes and such things as float and are useful have been responsible for toys based on water craft.

Children are familiar with furniture and they easily recognize two classes, one for the kitchen and one for the living room and dining room. Animals and birds and creeping things form another class grouped as natural history. Still another kind which is very common belongs in the class of games and amusements.

The waste problem in toy making is not a serious one so says the Forestry Association, because most of the pieces used are small and what does not do for one thing will as a rule do for something else.



TREMENDOUS SALE

Sweeping Price Reductions

No need to worry now about how you can make all those gifts you'd like to--our WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS sale fixes that.

Useful Gifts At Wonderful Savings | **End - of - Season Prices - NOW**

SLASHING REDUCTIONS right NOW. SAVINGS that have never before been offered till the very end of the season.

For Him

Suits	$52.50 NOW	$39.50
Suits	$42.50 NOW	$32.50
Overcoats	$49.50 NOW	$37.50
Overcoats	$45.00 NOW	$35.00
Mackinaws	$15.00 NOW	$9.95
Trousers	$9.95 NOW	$5.95
Sweaters	$3.98 NOW	$2.98
Boys' Suits	$12.00 NOW	$7.95
Boys' Suits	$9.00 NOW	$4.95
Boys' Raincoats	$15.00 NOW	$8.95

This solves your Christmas gift problem once and for all. USEFUL GIFTS are appreciated most---buy HERE and SAVE MONEY.

Buy NOW Pay Next Year

Make this a bountiful Christmas as well as an economical Christmas --use your credit here. Ask about our Special Christmas Credit Terms.

For Her

Coats	$37.50 NOW	$27.50
Coats	$30.00 NOW	$19.95
Plush Coats	$49.50 NOW	$39.95
Suits	$45.00 NOW	$34.95
Dresses	$25.00 NOW	$14.95
Sweaters	$12.00 NOW	$7.98
Skirts	$9.95 NOW	$5.98
Waists	$9.95 NOW	$4.98
Camisoles	$2.00 NOW	98¢
Girls' Coats	$10.00 NOW	$6.95

Store Open Every Evening Till Christmas

The People's
Adelberg-Feder Stores Inc Props. 100 Stores
A NATIONAL INSTITUTION

140 Middle Avenue

Tomorrow Morning We Start The Ball a-rolling!

Over One Million Pairs Of Women's Shoes--The Entire Stocks Of Our Nation-Wide Chain Of Stores.

Mighty Unloading Sale!

The Biggest Effort of Its Kind Ever Launched In The United States.

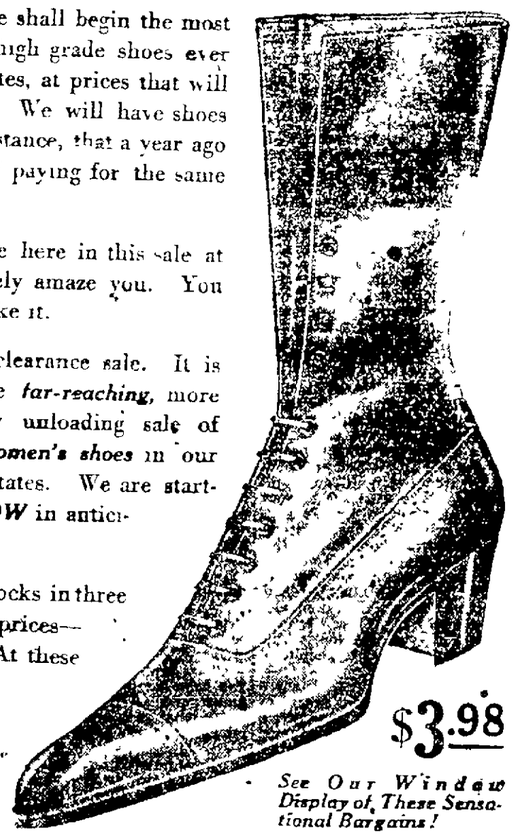
Prices Reduced Regardless Of Cost Or Value!

Tomorrow morning we shall begin the most gigantic sale of Women's high grade shoes ever launched in the United States, at prices that will startle women everywhere. We will have shoes in this sale at *$2.98*, for instance, that a year ago women thought nothing of paying for the same quality $10.

The value you will see here in this sale at *$2.98 to $4.98* will positively amaze you. You have never seen anything like it.

This is *more* than a clearance sale. It is something far *bigger*, more *far-reaching*, more *important*. It is a mighty unloading sale of *over a million pairs of Women's shoes* in our stores all over the United States. We are starting this tremendous sale *NOW* in anticipation of future conditions.

We have grouped our stocks in three enormous lots—at three flat prices—*$2.98, $3.98* and *$4.98*. At these smashing reductions you are getting high grade shoes at *practically HALF our former regular prices*. Come to-tomorrow.



$3.98

See Our Window Display of These Sensational Bargains!

$2.98 Reduced From $5 and $6.
Women's High Shoes in Gun Metal Black Kid Turn Soles, Havana Brown Kid Battleship Gray Cloth Tops, White Washable Kid and Louis and Military Heels. Sizes mostly 2½ to 5½. Regular $5.00 and $6.00 shoes

$3.98 Reduced From $6.00 and $7.85.
Wonderful selection of Havana Brown Kid Brown Buck Top, Cloth Tops, Patent Leather Lace and Button Grey Buck and Black Buck Tops, with Louis Heels, Vici Kid Common Sense Heels, Tan Side, Lace Grey Buck Top, Pearl Grey Lace with Louis Heels and Vici Kid and Common Sense Heels. Sizes mostly 2½ to 5½. Regular $6.00 and $ shoes

$4.98 Reduced From $7.85 and $8.95
Thousands of pairs of Women's Fine High Shoes in Gun Metal and Mahogany with Louis and Military Heels, also Brown Vici Kid Low Heel with Rubber Heel attached. Sizes mostly 2½ to 6. Regular price $7.85 to $8.95.

$2.95 BOYS' SHOES
In Gun Metal, patent leather, lace and button; sizes 9½ to 13½. Also in gun metal button, 1 to 4½. Regular price $3.45 and $3.95

Newark Shoe Stores Co.
The Largest Chain of Shoe Stores in The United States.

ELYRIA, OHIO
307 E. Broad Street

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Near Postoffice

Visit Our Toy And Doll Department In Basement— THE HARRY H. SMITH CO.

THEATERS

THRILLING SCENES IN UNUSUAL FILM, 'TRUMPET ISLAND'

Girl Drops Hundreds of Feet From Airplane During Electrical Storm in Film at Colonial

One of the most effective and thrilling scenes of action in the air ever presented in a photoplay is included in the special Vitagraph production, "Trumpet Island," when an airplane containing the heroine and the villain, collapses hundreds of feet up in the air.

Staunch faith in realism caused Director Tom Terriss to insist that this scene not be "faked," as is often done in screen drama productions. The problem of presenting the spectacle of an airplane with human occupants losing a wing in midair was a puzzling one for several days, and elaborate plans were suggested by Mr. Terriss. Finally Mr. Terriss himself hit upon the solution and his plans worked.

Those who view this spectacular event in "Trumpet Island," at the Colonial theatre now, will no doubt wonder how the actor and actress escaped without serious injury or death. To divulge the manner in which the scene was made would spoil its effect, however, so the audience must perforce be left to draw its own conclusions.

This scene is one of the most thrilling in this wonder-play, which was adapted from the story by Gouverneur Morris by Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph Chester. The villain is hurled into the ocean with but the floating wing of the 'plane to cling to in an effort to save his life. The machine itself dives into the foliage of the dense forests of Trumpet Island, and where the girl, stunned by her experience, regains consciousness with the mind of a child.

There follows one of the most unique romances ever presented on the screen—a romance that will bring a tear or a smile, as the whimsical narrative is unfolded. There are fights, too, and thievery—and jealousy and pride. All in all, it is one of the most absorbing stories of romance of a different sort to ever reach the screen.

American

"Servant in the House"

A silver service that is worth a king's ransom and long has been the pride of the Hotel Alexandria, famous Los Angeles hostelry at which tourists from all parts of the world daily can be found, was loaned to the Triangle studio, for use in the H. O. Davis film production of Charles Rann Kennedy's story, "The Servant in the House."

The silver was used on a massive set which represented the dining room in the home of a lordly English churchman and in which much of the important action of the play takes place.

The silver was kept at the studio several days and there was not a minute when it was not under the watchful eye of special guards.

The photoplay production of "The Servant in the House" presented at the American theatre now.

CHARACTERIZES AS PREPOSTEROUS SUM SOUGHT FOR ARMY

Rep. Daniel R. Anthony.

Rep. Daniel R. Anthony, Republican, of Kansas, in charge of the army bill before the new committee of the house, characterizes as "preposterous" the request of the war department for approximately $600,000,000.

Suits pressed while you wait at Fauver & Robson's.

Horlick's ORIGINAL Malted Milk
Safe Milk For Infants & Invalids
NO COOKING
"Food-Drink" for All Ages. Quick Lunch at Home, Office, and Fountains. Ask for HORLICK'S.
Avoid Imitations

SETS RECORD ON BROADWAY WITH "LIGHTNIN" SHOW

Frank Bacon.

Frank Bacon, on New Year's eve, will set a record for Broadway theatrical successes. That evening his show, "Lightnin," of which he is the co-author and the star, will give its one-thousandth performance, the longest consecutive run in the annals of the dramatic world.

MEN'S GYM CLASS TO HAVE FROLIC

The Business Men's Gym Class will try out a new stunt Friday evening at the close of their work. It is planned to stop the class exactly at 6 p. m. and all the members go down to the swimming pool for a ten minute plunge. Those that can't swim they will be instructed; those whose stroke needs correcting will be looked after, and also there will be diving and games.

It will remind one of the old swimming hole that we used in our youth. A great time is looked for by the members of the class.

CONRAD NORTHEIM HURT IN ACCIDENT

AMHERST, Dec. 17.—While driving after his son who attends school on the Ridge near Brownhelm, Conrad Northeim lost control of his machine and tipped over in front of Julius Peck's residence yesterday. The machine turned completely over twice and was badly damaged. Mr. Northeim was found about a half hour later by Mr. Peck unconscious. When he came to he couldn't explain how the accident ocurred but thought the machine had slipped in the snow. Mr. Northeim received a slight scalp wound and the machine was found in ruins. The radiator smashed and the top in shreds.

SANTSCHI IMPROVING

Tom Santschi, who was stricken with appendicitis a short time ago, is recovering rapidly from the serious operation which he was forced to undergo. As soon as Tom has recovered sufficiently he will resume work on his two-reel westerns.

SEARCH PLOTS IN IRELAND

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—Searches for evidence against the promoters of Sinn Fein outrages which are conducted by the police or military authorities are among the notable features of life in Dublin. They usually take place in the daytime or in the early morning hours.

In making them, the authorities had committed some blunders. The military motor trucks used to drive up in front of a suspected house and stop there while the searchers entered the building. The trucks were left in charge of only a few men. This proved tempting to Sinn Fein attacks which frequently surprised those on guard.

No risk is taken now. The whole street, no matter what its importance, is cleared of all traffic for a distance on both sides of the suspected house and the searchers can thus do their work without apprehension of being taken in the rear.

The fact that a house is raided implies no reflection on its owners. Some of the most respected of Dublin Unionists have had their premises exhaustively searched. There have been several searches in Sackville street, Dublin's principal thoroughfare and the starting point or junction of all its extensive street car system. A raid there meant that the street cars were held up all along the line and thus citizens half a mile or more away would learn that a raid was in progress. While the search was going on, armored cars would dash about and prevent entrance to the area within the line set by the authorities.

The results indicate that the government at last is obtaining information.

An incident which indicates that the government agents are not the only ones who are collecting weapons under the decree that arms must be surrendered occurred the other day at one of Dublin's most fashionable clubs. There were two old revolvers in the club room. The police heard of them and notified the club that they would have to be surrendered. A few days later two men appeared and demanded the revolvers which were surrendered to them. After they had gone, the club members looked at the receipt given for them and found it was signed "Mutt and Jeff."

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

Santa Claus letters are beginning to come in, and it begins to look as if the children in this locality are going to have a large order for him to fill. Here are the latest to arrive at the Chronicle-Telegram Santa Claus post office:

Dear Santa Claus:—Please send me a big box of candy and nuts and a pony and wagon, and a big doll that will go to sleep and a roller chimes.

Your friend,
Rosena Brown.

Dear Santa:

I am a little boy four years old. I want a hobby horse, rag doll, set of big blocks and a choo choo train and peanuts and candy in my stocking.

Ralph Hearne, 12 West Ave.

Big Cut in Wages

Bellaire, Dec. 17.—Wage cut of from 46 to 38 cents an hour and elimination of time and a half for over time announced by Wheeling Steel corporation.

Tabor Heads Grange

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17.—Ohio State Grange re-elected L. J. Taber, Barnesville, master, and in resolution requested President-elect Harding to appoint him secretary of agriculture.

Children play suits guaranteed colors, sizes 2 1-2 to 7 years $1.50 and $2.00 values at $1.19 each. The Robinson & Hancock Co.

FOR XMAS
VESTAL'S
Before you choose your Xmas presents, consider the many appropriate gifts to be found among the various articles of footwear.
WHAT CAN YOU BUY
In the Gift Line at such a moderate cost, that is as pleasing and lasting as slippers? You can buy genuine "Comfy" Slippers here in all styles, for the entire family.
HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

FOR MEN	FOR WOMEN
Good Shoes	Good Shoes
Hunting Boots	Evening Slippers
Rubber Boots	House Slippers
House Slippers	Spats and Boot Tops
Polishing Outfits	Fancy Buckles
Shoe Trees	Goloshes

FOR CHILDREN
Rubber Boots; 3 and 5 Buckle Arctics
House Slippers—Good Shoes
SHOES AND SLIPPERS
Store Open Evenings Until Xmas
Store Open Evenings Until Xmas

MOTION PICTURE ATTRACTIONS

COLONIAL
TODAY AND TOMORROW
Trumpet Island
WITH
All Star Cast
3 DAYS BEGINNING SUNDAY
Pauline Frederick
IN
A Slave of Vanity

AMERICAN
TODAY AND TOMORROW
The Servant in the House
3 DAYS BEGINNING SUNDAY
Herbert Rawlinson
IN
Man and His Woman

STRAND
TODAY AND TOMORROW
SESSUE HAYAKAMA
IN
LiTing Lang
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
"813"
AN ARSENE LUPIN STORY
from the novel by
MAURICE LE BLANC
FEATURING
Wedgwood Nowell

DREAMLAND
TODAY
Lunatics and Politics
WILDERNESS MAN
A FISHY STORY
TOMORROW
Lightning Bryce
TWO FISTED LOVER
Pathe News

Be a
Thoughtful Friend
AND REMEMBER THE BOYS AND GIRLS WITH
Good Books at Christmas Time
We're glad to help you select, if you wish
LOOMIS' BOOK STORE

GO TO
Candyland
HIGH GRADE CANDIES
DELICIOUS SODAS

Saturday Specials

11 lbs., Leaf Lard	$2.00
Pure Lard,	21c
Loin Pork Roasts,	20 & 24c
Pork Butt Roasts,	22c
Pot Roasts	22c
Yearling Lamb Leg,	30c
Pork Chops	25c
Fresh Dressed Chicken,	35c

GEO. J. HOFFMAN
STANDS 26 and 27
New City Market Next to Post Office

SOMETHING DAD NEEDS
When company comes and the roast is brought in wouldn't father appreciate a good sharp carving knife?
A Carving Set consisting of knife, fork and steel, the set put up in a neat case always makes a useful and acceptable gift.
The Shur-Edge knives are made of very high grade steel and are guaranteed satisfactory.
Prices range from $5.00 to $14.50 per set and we have some pairs (knife and fork) at from $3.00 to $6.00.
How about a new pair of shears for mother? Our assortment is the finest in town. Prices range from 60c to $2.25. A good all around shear of the very best quality, 8 inches long costs $2.00.
Pocket knives are our specialty, any size, any number of blades, any kind of handle, any price.
The Xmas Hardware Store
Day's Hardware

WE SELL THE AUTO STROP RAZOR
on a 30 day trial
If not satisfied return and we will refund your money
THE E. LOEFELER CO.
627 Broad Street

Gifts in Leather
CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
At Eyman's Trunk and Leather Store at a Big Saving
We have the Hartman Wardrobe Trunks from $40 to $115
General Purpose Trunk ..... $10.50 to $49.00
Leather and Imitation Traveling Bags .... $2.50 to $55.00
Leather and Fibre Suit Cases ..... $2.00 to $40.00
The best line of Ladies' and Men's Pocketbooks from ..... 50c to $25.00
Men's collar bags and good warm auto gloves and robes. Come in and look over our line.
Eyman's Trunk & Leather Store
572 Broad Street Elyria, Ohio 3

O-o-h, Look! A Victrola!
There's a happy time ahead for the whole family! Music for everybody, sung and played by the world's most famous artists, with the wonderful Victor.
A small payment down puts any Victrola model in your home for Christmas. Balance in convenient monthly amounts.

Yes, we still have a complete stock. Reserve yours today!
Open till 9 p. m.
W. E. Shay
507 Broad Street.
Over Phillips Drug Store

Men Appreciate Gifts From a "Men's Store"
Discover what his hobby is then make your choice at
"THE XMAS STORE FOR MEN"
You will receive a whole-hearted "THANK YOU" on Christmas morn if you select any of the following
Silk Shirts
Bath Robes or House Coats
Pajamas
Handkerchiefs
Umbrellas
Underwear
Leather Sets
Hats or Caps
Mufflers
Sweaters
Neckwear
Gloves
Luggage
Jewelry
Hosiery
Gloves
Etc.
All at Attractively Reduced Prices
—AT YOUR SERVICE—
ALTMAN —AND— ACKERMAN
SUCCESSORS TO FAUVER & ROBSON
Broad Street

710 BROADWAY, LORAIN, OHIO

SPOT CASH DID IT!

Market conditions favored us. The manufacturers were stocked and needed cash. Mr. George Kline, our New York representative had the courage to make them a spot cash offer, that brought about one of the greatest purchases ever made in New York City to our concern.

Flannelette Gowns $1.98

Worth to $3.50

Just arrived, ten dozen of $3.50 value flannelette Kimonos, trimmed with satin ribbon; light and dark patterns. In this sale, $1.98.

Scout's Percale

Light and dark Percales in Scout's and Bradford's, 36-in wide Yard

12½

Flannelette Dressing Sacques $1.18

$2.00 Value

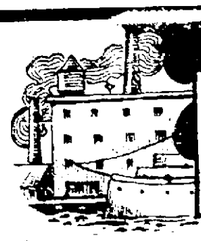
Fine quality heavy flannelette Dressing Sacques, neat floral designs; carefully made; well fitting, high waisted, gathered back, warm and comfortable Sizes 16 to 44, at $1.18.

Boys' Stockings 12½

Medium ribbed black cotton hose. These hose never could be bought cheaper than this price. 12 1-2c.

Outing Flannel 12c

Heavy quality outing flannel, fleeced on both sides, per yard 12c.



MANUFACTURER'S SALE STARTS SATURDAY MORN

For this sale right in the heart of the busiest season:—

The great reading public is aware of the fact that the mercantile markets of the world have hit their normal gait.

Our buying staff, headed by our Mr. George Kline, who stays in New York, all year round, and every day in the week, was offered merchandise by the leading manufacturers of wearing apparel, as well as some of the leading mills of the country at away below the actual cost of the raw materials, even at the present low prices.

As we are always looking forward to give the great public that we cater to the biggest values at all times, we immediately took advantage of the concession made us, and felt sure our Lorain store could dispose of its share of the half million dollars' worth of merchandise, if offered at the right prices.

The manufacturers being aware of the fact that we have a tremendous outlet of merchandise, and anxious to get the concessions which makes it possible for you, the buying public, to buy the highest class of wearing apparel, yard goods and domestics at practically half its original value. We marked this merchandise so low that we feel sure that within the next six days this vast amount will be bought up by the many thousands of our customers.

Kline's guarantee of absolute satisfaction for every dollar you spend here goes with this sale. Your money back on any unsatisfactory purchase. We have come to be recognized in every city we have stores, as the leading merchants of that community. We are more than just stores—we are institutions.

Seven years ago we opened a small store at 710 Broadway and in this short space of time have grown to be the leading department store, and always selling merchandise for less, we are also doing the largest business in dollars and cents.

Surely, a growth of this kind can only be gained by honest and superior merchandise. Take our advice and come early to this sale while stocks are complete, as it will make it so much easier for you to choose.

We will do our utmost and best to try and give you one hundred per cent service during this sale, but if you have to wait a few minutes to be waited on, we do hope that you will bear with us, and appreciate that we are trying to do our very best.

At your service.

Kline's

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS—WORTH $2.50

Stock up on these pre-war prices. Gowns you are paying almost half this regular value. Sizes 16 and 17 only.

$1.39

Striped patterns with collar or without. New styles. Every one cut full and made well. Buy these readily. Savings are great.

Women's Gloves 48c

Worth 79c

Fine Suede lisle gloves, warm, full and perfect fitting. Black is the only color. Sizes 6 to 7 1-2. Sale price per pair 48c.

Jiffy Pants, 3 for $1

Value 59c

The famous Kleinert's sanitary rubberized Jiffy pants that you have been paying 50c for. Here they are 3 for $1.00.

WOMEN'S SLIP OVER SWEATERS—VALUES TO $8.50

A gigantic purchase brings these sweaters to you at an unheard of price. Savings are from $6 to $7. We do not guarantee the colors to last out the day.

$1.38

These sweaters come from a well known Cleveland manufacturer and meet a like sacrifice on their part which makes these sweaters were passed to you.

Men's Shirts

Two hundred dozen men's ecru and gray separate shirts and drawers, purchased from the Mayo Knitting Mills at a sacrifice of 50 per cent. They go on sale tomorrow for only

Women's and Misses' Coats $8.00

These comprise a lot of about thirty coats, picked at random from our regular stock. Short sport and three quarter length models.

Heavy Wool Coats $14.00

Values to $22.50

Lined and interlined, short and warm winter coats, of heavy wool coating of suede, velour, silvertone, velour plush All new winter coats.

Children's Fur Sets $5.95

Value $7.00

Full Animal Scarf with head and tail, fully silk lined, finished with tassel, canteen or ball muff, lined and interlined of selected furs reproducing red fox, raccoon, ermine, Australian opposum scarf and muff.

Women's and Misses' Fur Trimmed Suits

Fur Trimmed Tailored Suits

Value $50.00

New winter suits, fur trim and plain tailored, fully silk lined and interlined; Wool Velours, Tricotine, Tinseltone, Suede Velour; styles just a little different for winted wear; warm and serviceable; at actual cost of material.

$22.00

Women's and Misses' Comfy Coats

Value to $45

Bolivia, Pom Pom, Suedine, [illegible] our. Swagger Coats, Flare [illegible] Coats, large fur collars, plain warm collars of self material, all silk lined and interlined, all newest winter styles, finest workmanship; [illegible] wear. Szies 16 to 44.

$22.00

Women's and Misses' Sample Coats

Value to $55

Many of these coats are samples, assuring you individuality; all the season's best models; finely tailored, silk lined throughout; selected grade fur collars and plain stitching tailored collars, materials of select quality all wool coatings of the new textures of the American mills; loose flare and belted models for the matron or miss at a price to your liking.

$27.00

Women's and Misses' Suits

High Grade Winter Suits

Value to $65

Plain tailored and fur trim suits of the best quality Wool Tricotine, Suede Velour, Duvetyn, Tinseltone, Broadcloth, dressy, conservative styles, embroidered, braided, flare and straight line models for all year wear. Buy now for holiday wear. Sizes 16 to 44.

$32.00

Women's and Misses' Distinctive Dresses

Value to $40

A special group of high grade dresses of beaded tricotine, braided velour, embroidered charmeuse, combination bead and embroidered dresses; styles the latest just a little different, bring out the distinctive winter modes for street and party wear.

$18.00

Women's and Misses' Sample Dresses

Value to $50

Just one of a kind samples. A special purchase from a high grade maker of exclusive dresses; materials of the newest silks and wools; many clever styles, elaborately trimmed; superior workmanship; styles just to your liking, at much less than you expected to pay. Sizes 16 to 44.

$23.00

Women'sand Misses' New Dresses $9.00

Value $20.00

Wool tricotine, wool serge, satin, wool velour, taffeta, wool jersey Dresses—beaded, embroidered, braided. Every one of these dresses are brand new at actual cost of material. Sizes 14 to 44.

Women'sand Misses' New Dresses $15.00

Value to $30.00

Quantity, style, workmanship of such dresses are usually offered elsewhere at double our prices. Tailored dresses, party dresses, street dresses—of the better grade of silks and cloth. All new Winter styles—warm and serviceable; charmingly trimmed, well fitting. Sizes 16 to 44.

Fur Collar Warm Coats $19.95

Heavy all wool coats with large fur collar of French Seal Coney. Materials of wool coatings fully serviceable for dress and business; silk lined and interlined; many new winter styles, warm and serviceable for dress and business wear, at a price you will gladly pay.

Free

With every purchase of boys' suit, coat, mackinaw, sweater, you are entitled to one coupon for each dollar you spend.

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Girls' Winter Coats

Value $16.50 to $18.00

A comprehensive showing of coats for girls, 6 to 14 years in all Wool Velour Tinseltone, Pom Pom, Suedine, Broadcloth, large cape collars and convertible storm collars; all coats are well lined, finished with pockets and belt; new winter styles. Warm and serviceable at only $9.65

Infants's Corduroy Coats

Value $7.00

Velour Corduroy Coats, double breasted, some with yokes in front and back, belted, finished with pockets, fully lined. Sizes up to 3 years $3.47

Infants' Japanese Slippers

Value $1.10

Imported Japanese Silk embroidered baby slippers, well made, ribbon trimmed and hand embroidered. Sizes up to 6 years. Buy a few pair for Christmas gifts 53c

Baby Knitted Jackets

Values to $3.50

Manufacturer's samples, many styles, beautifully silk embroidered and ribbon trimmed; all wool knitted in many clever models; roll collar and long sleeves $1.79

Infants' Worsted Ribbed Wrappers. Value $1.25

The famous Lackawanna Twins worsted ribbed infants 'shirts, silk embroidery scalloped trimmed collar and front, long sleeves, a warm comfortable garment for baby 79c

Girls' Wool Serge School Dresses. Value $10.00

Charming Dresses for girls 6 to 14 years of age, of fine warm wool serge, sailor and sport styles; many styles for winter wear, carefully made, well fitting, beautifully trimmed and finished with ribbon and pockets, at a price to your liking $4.95

Girls' Gingham Dresses

Value $3.00

The famous Baby Garment, guaranteed non shrinkable. Safe and simple. No buttons, no pins; a healthful, warm garment for little baby at a little price 97c

Vanta Baby Bands

Value $1.25

More of those famous Dresses for girls 4 to 14 years, made of fine ginghams, in pretty checks, plaids and contrasting colors, hand stitched, some with belts, others with sash and pockets; all well made, neat fitting Gingham Dresses—just to your liking, at a price you will gladly pay $1.37

Infants' Flannelette Gowns

Value $1.50

Heavy Flannelette Baby Sleepers, close fitting choker collar, long sleeves, embroidered edge, close fitting adjustable bottom; warm and healthful for 94c

Infants' Shop.

Women's Dress Skirts

Genuine Susquehanna Silk Poplin Dress Skirts, perfect workmanship, well fitting, neatly trimmed with belt, buckle and tassel, finished with pockets, navy, black, taupe $2.19

Women's Wool Skirts

Wool Serge, Wool Velour, Dress Skirts, plain tailored, pleated plaids, skirts neatly trimmed, new skirts for winter wear at less than wholesale price $4.65

Women's and Misses' High Grade Dress Skirts

Quality Skirts of the better grade of Wool Velours, Wool Tricotine, Poiret Twill, Wool Serge, plaids, stripes, solid colors, pleated and plain tailored, carefully made, well fitting warm skirts; go well with your coat $6.65

Girls' Beaver Hats

Value to $5.00

Fine quality Beaver, full and fluffy, well made, large, medium and small styles, neatly finished with best quality Grosgrain ribbon and streamers. A dandy hat with your girl's winter coat $2.00

Children's Trimmed Hats

Value to $3.50

Your choice of many styles of new winter wear—Corduroy Velvet, Velour, Beaverette, Furtex fur trimmed, ribbon trimmed in all colors of the season $1.00

Boy's Suits

Worth to $10.00—Over 500 bo high grade suits in dark coro roys, tweeds and many far mixtures of brown, gray a green. All the latest belted feet with plain or fancy pleat back. Any size to 18. $5.8 All reduced to .....

Surplus Government Sale of U.S.

Roast Beef, 1 lb can	9c
Pumpkin, No. 3 can	7c
Fancy Sardines	11c
Tomatoes, No. 3 can	15c
Corn Beef Hash 1 lb can	15c
No. 3 can Pork and Beans	9c
Gr. Mustard, Half pound	17c
Farina, 1 lb. pkg	11c

French Seal Coney Fur Coat

Values $110.00

'Tis the quality of the fur that makes this particular Fur Coat of interest to women who waited for quality plus economy.

Full selected pelts (not pieced) soft, fluffy, pliable skins large shawl collar, belt cuffs, belted and flaring effect, pussy willow lined; expert workmanship, every little detail carefully finished; at the little price of

$69.00

Kline's AT LORAIN, O.

Growing Bigger Every Day Because We're GroWing Better in Every Way.

Boy's Suits

Worth to $15.00

A remarkable showing of 300 boys' desirable suits—school suits of the better class. Will stand up under roughest wear. Made of heavy English tweeds and mixtures in assorted shades of green, brown and gray. Sizes 6 to 18.

Boy's Overcoat

Worth to $18.00—Newest arr all of heavy dark brown Ov coats. Full cut length, made fine all wool overcoatings a lined with heavy serge. The are all double breasted effe with belt and comes in sizes 6 16. Special at $9.9

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Kline's

WATCH US GROW

Sheeting Bleached

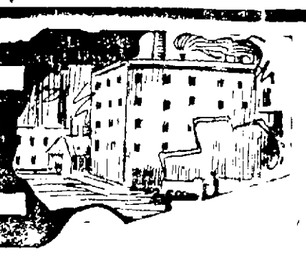
Our regular 98c Pepperell 9-4 or 10-4 bleached sheeting, yd.

69c

Mammoth Two-In-One Sale!

Think of it—A Half Million dollars' worth of the best merchandise to be sold at less than half its original value right in the heart of the season, and Kline's guarantee goes with every dollars' worth. Christmas sale combined with this gigantic unloading sale.

UNLOADING SALE



ING, DEC. 18, at 9 a.m. and Continues Six Days

Headlight Overalls $1.98
Worth $2.50

We are the Lorain agent for the famous Headlight Overalls. These are extra full made of heavy dark blue denim. All sizes. We do not expect quantity to last the day out, $1.98.

Work Shirts 79c
Worth $1.49

Men's heavy Blue Chambray Work Shirts. Double pockets, well made and cut large. A most durable shirt; a rare value at 79c.

Apron Gingham

Standard quality Apron Gingham in checks of black and white, 27-in wide. A yard 12½c

Hope Muslin

Every one knows this famous standard brand. Owing to limited quantities we are forced to limit each purchaser to 10 yards. A yard 13c

Men's Sweaters $9.95
Worth $15

Pure wool Shaker Knit Slipover Sweaters, combination colors body stripe effects. Sizes 36 to 46. Sale price only $9.95

and Drawers

9c Sizes to fit any man; heavy deeced back garments all in perfect condition and regularly sold for $1.39. Tomorrow they go for only 79c.

CONE'S BOSS OVERALLS—WORTH $2.98

$1.65

A purchase of 101 dozen overalls and jackets brings them to you for $1.65 instead of $2.98. Sizes from 34 to 46. Limit two to a customer.

Made of the heaviest weight blue denim. Cut large and roomy with high elastic backs. These garments means a saving of $1.35

Wool Hose 59c
Worth $1.00

Medium ribbed foot warmer hose in black. These are dress hose made for warmth and comfort. Very high grade quality bound to satisfy. Prices cut to 59c

Men's Sweaters 79c
Worth $1.75

Heavy cotton slip over sweaters without sleeves. Made to wear under your coat. Will give excellent service and satisfaction. Colors in dark gray. All sizes to 44

BLACK SATEEN SHIRTS—FORMERLY $1.98

79

The famous Black Head shirts that we sold for $1.98. The best known black sateen shirt in the market. We have 100 doz. in sizes 14 to 17. Full cut, double stitched, double pockets, placket sleeves, reinforced yoke, heaviest quality. Fine guaranteed black sateen. Limit six to customer.

Men's Silk Hose 66c
Worth $1.50

A fine assortment of all Silk Hose in combination of navy and gold navy and orange and cordovan and green. Good durable quality with a lustre that will not wear off. Reduced to 66c

A Boy's Bicycle; 4 Ingersoll Boys' Watch.

On December 21 we will hold a drawing to determine the five winners. Remember the more coupons, the more you are to win

Belts 19c
Worth 25c

An entire stock of Men's high grade belts in black and gray with patent and tongue buckle—good quality long lasting materials. Sizes 30 to 42 only 19c

Men's Hose 19c
Worth 35c

Here is your chance to stock up on high grade socks. These are made with reinforced heels and toes and come in black, tan and gray colors. All sizes 19c

Men's Caps 76c
Worth $2.00

In this lot we have grouped most of our heavy ear lap Caps. These are made of hard finish worsted materials with long flexible beak and come in dark gray and brown mixtures—all sizes at 76c

Boys' Gauntlets 54c
Worth $1.00

Excellent all leather Gloves with black durable gauntlet and fancy leather fringe firmly made. An ideal gift for the boy. Price reduced to 54c

Boys' Unions 99c
Worth $1.50

Mayo's ribbed winter unions. Full range of sizes. Cotton fleece back. Special for this sale, 99c

Men's Hose 44c
Worth 98c

Best quality silk lisle Hose in black and gray. These are hose which are made to give long service and make a fine appearance. A very sensible sock for every day and any day, only, 44c

Men's Shirts 50c
Worth $1.50

Men's percale dress shirts, starched cuffs, neat patterns. Sizes 14, 14 1-2, 16, 16 1-2 and 17. Special in sale at 50c

Wool Hose 33c
Worth 75c

Good serviceable Wool Hose in blue and gray mixtures. Made with reinforced heels and toes. Ideal work hose for winter wear. unusual value at 33c.

Men's Unions $3.19
Worth $6.00

Men's gray woolen unions. All sizes to 46. Made for utmost comfort and durability. Well tailored and form fitting. Reduced to only $3.19

Men's Work Socks 21c
Worth 50c

An extra heavy Cotton Hose in dark gray and brown with white heels and toes. Very healthful and durable. The latest creation in fine work hose 21c

Men's Trousers $4.39
Worth $8.50

A large lot of heavy all wool Trousers and dark gray trousers with silver stripe. This represents one of our finest assortments. Trousers that wear and patterns that please priced at $4.39.

Velvet Bags 99c
Worth $1.50

Women's Velvet Handbags, very well made. These have gold chain and frame and silk tassel. Blue, black, brown and gray. Very special, each 99c.

Men's Trousers

Men's Trousers $3.39
Worth $6.95

Hard finished worsted Trousers in dark blue and gray mixtures. Fine durable quality for every day wear. Made for particular men. All sizes

Men's Trousers $5.39
Worth to $10.00

Worsteds, cassimeres, flannels and tweeds in blue, brown and gray combinations of colors. Over a thousand pairs to pick from. Positively the largest showing of high grade trousers in the city. All sizes

Men's Trousers $1.87
Worth $4.50

An assorted lot of Men's high grade work trousers in dark gray with black stripe. Good heavy hard finish materials. Made for roughest wear, all sizes to 42. Price reduced to $1.87

Women's Blanket Bath Robes $4.95
Values to $7.50

Heavy Beacon Bath Robes of fine quality eiderdown flannels trimmed with braid, large pockets collar and cuffs; finished with belted cord and tassel, $4.95.

Japanese Crepe Kimonas $2.87
Value $5.00

A useful Christmas gift. Hand embroidered silk yarn throughout fine quality Japanese crepe—high waisted belted effect. All new winter colors, $2.87.

Fur Scarfs $7.00
Value to $12.00

Large full animal Fur Scarfs of Russian wolf and Jap wolf; finished with head and tails. Satin lined, tassel, trim $7.00

Men's Shirts $1.43
Worth $2.00

You should grasp this opportunity to stock up on dress shirts. These are made of finest quality percale and come in many pleasing striped patterns. Good washable materials. Sizes to 17. Reduced to $1.43.

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Boys' Gauntlets 54c
Worth $1.00

Excellent all leather Gloves with black durable gauntlet and fancy leather fringe firmly made. An ideal gift for the boy. Price reduced to 54c

Sheep Lined Coats $14.88
Worth $27.50

Highest quality sheep lined Corduroy Coats with large fur collar and large roomy pockets. Full cut and well lined. Sizes to 46, a coat that will wear for years. All specially priced $14.88

Boys' Overcoats $4.85
Worth $10.00

You will wonder how we can offer these high grade Boys' Overcoats at such a remarkably low figure. Our super buying power enables us to sell you heavy double breasted Overcoats in dark browns and grays, all fully lined in serge and wool. Sizes to 7. A most unusual value at only $4.85

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MEN'S HATS
Worth $5 to $6

Men! You are going to need a hat. If you want to make your choice from our complete stock of over 1,000 classy hats in hundreds of desirable shades of green, gray and brown. Here you will find all the latest styles and a size to fit your head perfectly

$2.85

MEN'S HATS
Worth to $8.50

Our choice lot of all our very highest grade hats, made of highest quality Beaver felts in all shades of black, brown, green and gray. Made with wide or narrow bands, straight and curved brims. Certainly a hat to please and a color to suit. Extraordinary value at

$4.85

Men's Neckwear 52c
Worth $1.25

A large showing of Men's fine Neckwear consisting of many wide and narrow shapes and reversible four-in-hand ties. Many beautiful patterns to pick from for only 52c

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S

Overcoats

Worth $40 to $45

Here You Will Find the Everpopular Uulster and Ulsterette in Dark Brown, Gray and Green

Two and three button effects; belted and plain. You certainly can not afford to pass up this wonderful offering of high grade overcoats, the price of which has been cut way below the present market value.

$23.00

Worth $50 to $60

Opportunity knocks but once. Here is your chance to buy a real Overcoat at a price beyond comparison. Guaranteed all wool Overcoats in all the latest colors and styles, loose fitting and form fitting, for men and young men of all ages. All sizes to 44.

$31.00

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S

SUITS

Worth $40 to $50

These suits are the greatest values you ever saw. Not only are these suits made of pure wool and silk worsteds, serges, flannels and cashmeres, but are strictly hand tailored and made by some of the best makers of men's clothes. Hundreds of Styleplus suits are in this group at

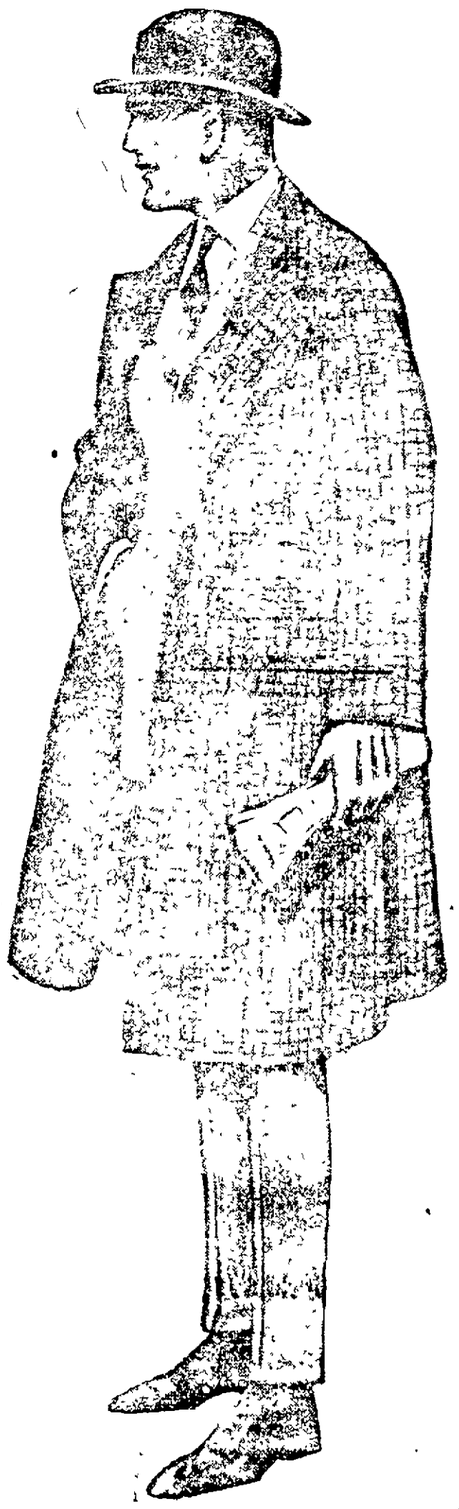
$19.00

Men's and Young Men's Suits

The high grade makers of these suits asked us not to mention their name in our ad, but all you have to know is that Kline's guarantee each and every one of them. The materials are the finest, the workmanship the best, the style the newest. What more can one ask? And the price only

$29.00

79c Boys' Wool Hockey Caps 48c



Boy's Mackinaws

Worth $15.00--A Mackinaw your boy will be proud of for two and three years to come. Just think of it! Heavy all wool mackinaws in any size to 17 at this remarkable saving. These are double breasted styles and come in dark gray and brown mixtures, spl **$7.65**

Boy's Mackinaws

Worth to $20.00—Here we have grouped our higher priced Mackinaws of guaranteed all wool fabrics. These are made with roomy full cut sleeves and large heavy shawl collar. Many dark patterns to pick from in brown, green and gray. All sizes special at **$10.65**

Wool Unions $4.65
Worth $4.98

Weights guaranteed. Woolen Underwear Manufactured by a house of highest reputation. A garment that will give utmost satisfaction and years of service. All sizes, only $4.65

Men's Silk Shirts
Worth $10.00 to $12.00

To realize this to buy them! Just imagine Genuine crepe de chine Tub Silks and Jersey Silks at a price within reach of everyone. Gorgeous patterns and beautiful color combinations. Excellent Christmas Gifts. Only *$5.95*

Men's Shirts
Worth to $5.00

Unusual Silk Values. Best quality non fadeable materials. Hundreds of choice striped patterns. In this lot we have included many of our high priced shirts all priced at *$2.33*

Men's Sweaters
Worth $7.95

Fine Woolen Worsted Coat Sweaters in black and gray with two large convenient pockets. High grade, durable quality, made for particular men. Sizes to 46. Only *$4.45*

Men's Sweaters
Worth to $12.50

In this lot we are offering our highest grade fine woolen Sweater Coats made of highest quality materials. These are just the right weight for winter wear and will give you utmost comfort and satisfaction. All sizes at *$6.45*

Boy's Two Pants Suits
Worth $20.00

In this lot you will find many of our highest grade suits, the price of which has been slashed to make this the biggest boys' suit value in years. These are made of heavy all wool materials with one and two pair of full lined knickers. You owe it to your boy to investigate this wondreful value. All sizes to 18. Reduced to **9.95**

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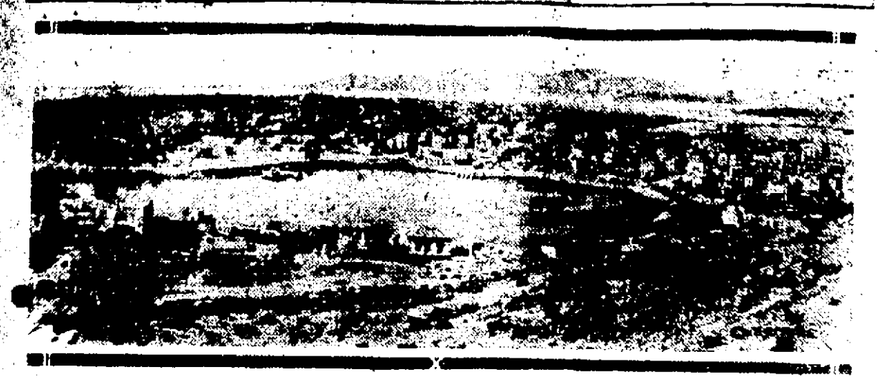
WHERE CONSTANTINE WILL LAND ON RETURN TO GREECE



A view of Piraus, Greece.

Although some dispatches state that the newly recalled Constantine will land at Phaleron, a few miles from Greece, other dispatches give the landing place as Piraus. This little town is within a few miles of Athens. It is a harbor town where English and French ships dock. From the landing the king will make his triumphant entry into Athens. He will reach there December 19.

Relief Work Is Under Way

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The most notable event in the past twenty-four hours in connection with the contribution was the action of the Baptist Church of this city which, by a unanimous vote, set apart $1,000 which is to be used for the needy in the city during the trying days of the winter. This is under the direction of their Board of Trustees but as it is for the same purposes, we are incorporating it with the amount pledged for the general work, as without doubt, as was stated today, the needs as they come to the general committee if they cannot be met, will be aided through the Baptist fund.

The promptness with which the Baptist Church responded and the generosity of their response speaks volumes for the interest they have in the needs of their fellows.

One of the suggestions concerning the money which will be carried into effect by the committee will have a permanent effect for good upon all, and that is to use a portion of this money as a loan to those who, because of their condition, would rather have it that way than any other. Then when it is returned it can be used over again, not only during this temporary slack period but even during more prosperous times it can be used on behalf of those who are unfortunate.

The amount to date is as follows:

Kiwanis Club (underwritten)	$1,000
Chronicle-Telegram and Employees	500
Baptist Church of Elyria (in charge of trustees)	1,000
Mayor Asa R. Jones	50
Wilkins-Hurst Co.	25
Mrs. Gates Stevens	100
Judge Stroup	10
L. B. Fauver	10
Savings Deposit Bank	150
C. H. Merthe	50
D. S. Troxel	100
Mrs. Merthe	5
Miss Marion Merthe	5
Mrs. F. E. Rudolph	5
	$3,010

CITY MAY HAVE NATIONAL GUARD AND AN ARMORY

Providing 100 recruits can be secured in this city between now and next Wednesday, the federal government will establish a National Guard in this city and provide the boys with an armory.

Commander David Hamlin of the local American Legion Post, is quite enthusiastic over the announcement and urges every dough boy or any other prospective guards man to attend the smoker which will be held at the Legion clubrooms in the Sharp block, this evening.

The proposed organization will be discussed at this time and Captain Isandry, of Cleveland will be on hand to explain the proposition to the men.

The new federal guard is quite different fro mthe old State guard, inasmuch as the men who join it, need not respond to State riot calls and they are automatically discharged from service whenever they take up a residence in any other city.

The government furnishes the equipment and amunition and grants them a two week vacation in camp, 80 per cent of the enlisted men to report at camp.

Ex-soldiers need enlist but for one year, while other recruits are required to join for three years service, which includes weekly drills, for which they are paid in addition to 25 per cent of the base pay.

Agony of Asthma

New Prescription Gives Instant Relief. Makes Breathing Easy

Thousands of people suffer from Bronchitis or a Bronchial Asthma who, having tried advertised remedies, inhalers, 'Patent Smokes,' douches, doctors, changes in climates, etc.," without permanent benefit believe nothing can ever make them well.

Extensive experiments finally enabled a Worcester, Mass., physician to find a simple, harmless treatment that gave almost immediate relief in even the most stubborn advanced cases and great numbers of former Asthmatics have now used his treatment with wonderful success.

"The doctor's prescription is called Oxidaze and can be obtained from C. W. Phillips and leading druggists everywhere, who sell it on a guarantee of money back on the first package if in any case it fails to give prompt relief."

Many users who for years have been obliged to sit up in bed gasping for breath and unable to sleep, report that they now take a dose of Oxidaze when going to bed and can then lie down and breathe easily and naturally and get a good night's restful sleep.

Oxidaze is a safe treatment, easy to take and contains no harmful, habit forming drugs.

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POSTOFFICE LOBBY OPEN EXTRA HOURS

Thanks to the Wellingness of Postmaster D. W. Seward to cooperate with the members of the Young Men's Business club, the local post office lobby will be open from 5:00 o'clock in the morning until midnight during the holidays.

The club members suggested that the lobby of the building be allowed to remain open all night, but Seward informed them that only undesirable visitors would visit the building after midnight and for that reason it would be best to close it at 12:00 o'clock each night.

This action was very satisfactory to the club and Elyrians will be able to mail their Christmas gifts during the above mentioned hours.

BERLIN CHRISTMAS TRADE TAGS

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—The christmas trade in Berlin, which once was greater than at any season during the year up to the present time has left huge stores of toys and other articles virtually intact on the shelves, according to the managers of the city's largest department stores.

In a tour of these stores today, the correspondent saw hundreds of persons thronging the aisles and examining the articles on sale but less than a score in each place were even trying to negotiate purchases.

The manager of the toy department in one store said:

"Only the rich can afford our wares this year. Here is a rocking horse for 600 marks which sold before the war for 30 marks. It would cost a workmen nearly his month's salary. Toy animals sell from fifty pfennigs up to 10,000 marks, but very few are buying them.

"The people are hesitating even ever spending one mark on something that is useless. They are saving their money for fod and clothes.

TOLEDO, Dec. 17.—The Toledo bridge and crane company today filed suit here against the Maxwell Motor Company of Detroit, alleging breach of contract.

It is charged that the Maxwell company ordered 40,000 oil pans of the crane company and concelled the contract after necessary equipment had been purchased to fill the order.

The Toledo Bridge and Crane Company wants $34,901 compensation.

COLUMBUS, Dec. 17.—The state board of health was notified today that a dog which had bitten eleven Ravenna citizens last Tuesday has been found to be suffering fromrabies. Administration of pasteur treatment to those bitten was placed in teh hands of Dr. S. L. Sloan of Ravenna. Another dog believed to be suffering from rabies was reported at Campbellport, three miles southeast of Ravenna. It is alleged to have bitten Howard Bates, a railroad worker.

YOUTHFUL DANCE FROCK IS ALWAYS OF SILK TAFFETA

Bouffant and crisp as always, taffeta holds its own in the dancing gowns for the young miss. This frock is very pretty, although it is simple and modest. It is fashioned of white taffeta embroidered in black. A flower design is worked on the paniers of the skirt and black velvet accents the short, tight little sleeve. The surplice bodice is good for the youthful figure and the whole gives a charming effect of studied simplicity.

Lack of Fresh Air Cause of Run-Down Conditions

How To Keep Well And Strong

Statistics prove that the death rate is very much greater in the winter months than in summer, and that the lack of fresh air is largely responsible for this condition.

If the system becomes, run-down blood thin and watery, circulation poor, no appetite, don't dose with drugs, but stay out of doors as much as possible and take our cod liver and iron tonic Vinol. It is not a patent medicine, everything in it is named on every package and if it does not give you a hearty appetite, enrich the blood and create strength, your druggist will return your money. Let C. W. Phillips sell you a bottle and return your money if it fails to help you.

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SHERIFF ARRESTS CLEVELAND MAN

John Doller, of Cleveland, was arrested by Sheriff Backus at Avon Lake, yesterday, where he was residing with his father before the officer visited the farm.

Doller is wanted in Cleveland on a charge of failing to support his minor child and will return to his old home town, today.

'GRANDMA' GARRETT, PIONEER RESIDENT, DIES AT SON'S HOME

Mrs. Deborah Garrett, aged 9[illegible] years, lovingly known to her friends as "Grandma" died last evening at the home of her son, John Garrett of Stop 10 Lake avenue. Mrs. Garrett was one of Lorain county's oldest pioneer residents, having made this township her home for the past seventy five years.

Aside from her son, John, at whose home she passed away, she is survived by one daughter, Mrs Mary Collier of Lake avenue. A son, George died last summer and the husband died forty eight years ago.

Funeral services will be held from the home next Sunday afternoon and burial will be made in Elmwood cemetery.

DAVIS MAY REVOKE COX APPOINTMENTS

COLUMBUS, Dec 16—Ira R. Pontius of Upper Sandusky, was reapointed supeirntendent of the state banking department today, by Governor Cox for the four year term ending July 5, 1924. As Pontius is a Democrat and his appointment requires confirmation by the senate, it is not expected that he will be permitted to serve out the term, Governor-elect Davis being in position to withdraw the apopnitment and make his own selection after Jaunary 10.

The governor also announced six other re-apopnitments which also require senate confirmation. They were E. S. Thomas, Cincinnati, member of the board of public accountancy, term ending May 21, 1923; S. T. Nash, Cleveland, member board of agriculture, term ending January, 1925; Horace C. Price, Columbus, member agriculture, term ending Jan. [illegible] 1925; S. J. McCune, Jefferson county, member state board of education, term ending July 25, 1925; Murray Seasongood, Cincinnati, member commission for the blind, term ending July 7, 1925; D. H. Kirwan, Auglaize county, member highway advisory board, term ending July 7, 1924.

Robert L. Hoyt, Columbus, was appointed assistant state law librarian by the supreme court, to succeed R. S. Wittenmire, Columbus, who became librarian of the Franklin county courts.

Children in public schools in [illegible]chester, N. Y., raise a scholarship fund to help others who are financially unable to continue their education and to prevent children from leaving school before the completion of a definite stage in their education.

The Leader Shoe Co.

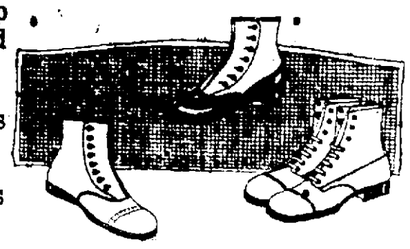
Our Holiday Footwear Is Priced Right!

That's why you always find us so busy. The large assortment now on display makes shopping a pleasure with our two big floors as we have the room to display the many styles you probably would miss otherwise. Just everything in footwear for men, women and children.

Boys' Shoes $2.85 and up
Men's Shoes $5.00 and up.

Men's Rubber Boots $4.00 and up.

Men's Comfy Slippers $1.98 and up.



Women's Silk Hose $1 and up.
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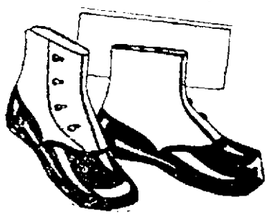
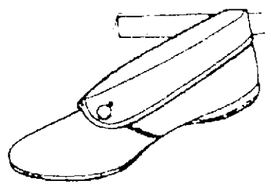


Men's and Women's Shoes

They come in Brown and Black Leathers in almost every style. You are sure to find just the style and size you want—they were made to sell up to $8.



$5.00 a pair

Girls' Shoes

Brown and black kid shoes sizes up to 2, values up to $5.50.

$3.35

Women's Shoes

Brown and black kid, all styles, all sizes, made to sell at $10, now

$7.50

Just Suggestions

Men's rubber boots
Boys' Rubber Boots
Men's Slippers
Rubber Footwear

Boys' Shoes

Boys' brown calf English shoes, values up to $5.50, now

$3.35

Men's Shoes

Brown and black calf skin, all styles, all sizes, shoes made to sell for $10, now

$7.50

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Indian Moccasins for men, women and children.

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NOTE—Our new store will be open evenings starting Saturday, Dec. 18th until Christmas.

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IS NEW HOSTESS IN CAPITAL SOCIETY

Senora Z. De Cortadellas.

Senora Z. De Cortadellas, wife of the secretary and charge d'affaires of the Bolivia legation, recently arrived in Washington to take up her residence there. This new hostess from the South American countries, will prove a pleasant addition to the diplomatic circles.

NOW'S THE TIME TO BEGIN BAKING OF XMAS GOODIES

Here's a List of Fruit Cakes for the Christmas Feast Guaranteed to Tempt the Most Confirmed Dyspeptic

From now until Christmas the cooking of holiday cakes and cookies will go on, with Christmas shopping between times. The kitchen will be the most popular room in the house and all the family will smell the "sugar and spice and other things nice" which go to make the most delectable goodies.

Fruit cakes should be made at once in order that they may have time to ripen, for these cakes taste better with age. Most of the recipes below, however, are so good that mother will be hard put to even keep the cakes till Christmas.

As the fruit cake comes only once a year it demands extra care, extra pennies and extra precautions in making and baking. It is wise to set aside two mornings of the fruit-cake week—one morning to wash and cut up the fruit and the other morning to mix the cake. All fruit cakes are better if they are allowed to ripen from 12 to 24 hours before being baked, and they should be made at least one month before they are to be used. Many experts steam their fruit cakes before baking them they declare that the flavor is improved by this method and that a richer cake results. Most all fruit cakes may be steamed three hours and then baked from one and a half to two hours in a slow oven. Cover the top of the pans with oiled paper when steaming.

Fruit Cake

One pound of butter, one pound of light brown sugar, 12 eggs, one pound of flour, two tablespoonfuls of molasses, juice and rind of a lemon and an orange, one teaspoonful of soda, two pounds of currants one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoon of powdered mace, one tablespoonful of cinnamon, one teaspoonful of nutmeg, two pounds of raisins, seeded and cut into pieces, one-half pound of citron, cut thin, and fine.

Cream the butter until it is very light add the sugar gradually, beating constantly. Beat the eggs very light and add them to the butter and sugar. Add the molasses and the fruit juices. Mix the flour, soda, spices, fruit and rinds together and add them to the first mixture. Line the pan with three thicknesses of paper. Butter the paper and pour in the mixture. Let the cake stand 24 hours to ripen before baking. Bake it in a slow oven until the cake springs back into place when pressed with the finger.

Black Fruit Cake

Four cupfuls of sugar, two cupfuls of butter, eight pounds of flour, one cupful of sour cream, eight eggs, one tablespoonful of cloves, one tablespoonful of soda, one lemon, one cupful of molasses, one cupful of grape juice or any fruit juice, two pounds of raisins, two pounds of currants, two pounds of almonds, one cupful megs grated.

Put the ingredients together in the same manner as in the foregoing recipe.

Black Cake

One and one-fourth pounds of butter, one pound of brown sugar, one pond of flour, three pounds of raisins, two pounds of currants; one pound of citron, one teaspoonful of mace, one teaspoonful of cloves, one pound of chopped figs, thirteen eggs, one cupful of fruit juice, half cupful of molasses, one nutmeg, grated; two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon.

Beat the butter and sugar to a cream; then stir in a quarter of the flour; add the well-beaten eggs gradually, then the molasses; then the remainder of the flour, which has been combined with all the fruit and spices, alternating flour and fruit juices. Beat well. Pour into pans lined with paper and bake about four hours.

Inexpensive Fruit Cake

One cupful of butter, one cupful of sugar, one teaspoonful of soda, half teaspoonful of cloves, three cupfuls of flour, one cupful of molasses, two pounds of raisins, two teaspoonfuls of cream of tatar, one half teaspoonful of allspice, four eggs, one cupful of sweet milk, one teaspoonful of cinnamon.

If a more elaborate cake is desired add a pound of currants, half a pound of citron and half a pound of preserved lemon peel.

Sour-Milk Fruit Cake

Two cupfuls of butter, two and one-half cupfuls of sugar; two and one-half cupfuls of molasses, eight cupfuls of flour, two cupfuls of sour milk, eight eggs, two teaspoonfuls of soda, half teaspoonful of cloves, half teaspoonful of mace, three pounds of raisins, three pounds of currants, one pound of figs, one pound of citron, two lemons, grated, two glasses of current jelly, one cupful of fruit juice, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one teaspoonful of grated nutmeg.

Ginger Fruit Cake

One-half pound of butter, one pint of sour milk, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, three pints of sifted flour, one teaspoonful of cloves, one tablespoonful of soda, half pound of citron, half pound of sugar, one pound of raisins, one tablespoonful of grated nutmeg, six eggs, one pint of molasses, one pound of currants, three tablespoonfuls of ginger.

Fold the whites of the eggs in last. This will make two cakes. Bake in a slow oven.

Christmas White Fruit Cake

This is a delicious Christmas cake. Cream one-half pound of butter, add one pound of powdered sugar, beat until very light, then add one cup of water and two cups of pastry flour, sifted with two teaspoons baking powder. (I often use one teaspoon soda and two even teaspoons of cream of tartar.) Beat well. Mix one pound seeded raisins, one-fourth pound of shredded citron, one-half pound of chopped figs, one-half pound of chopped dates and one-half pound of chopped blanched almonds, dust well with half cup flour. Beat the whites of five eggs, stir them into cake mixture and add the fruit. Bake slowly for three hours in deep pans lined with paper. I used my bread tins and filled half full. Frost or ice.

Boys' wool, shawl collar slip-over sweaters, $5.00 each. The Robinson & Hancock Co.

WHERE PRESIDENT WILSON WILL LIVE

The Fuller home.

Press dispatches indicate that President Wilson is dickering for the purchase of the residence of Representative Alvin T. Fuller of Massachusetts, at 2241 Wyoming avenue, in Washington. The Fuller home is located in one of the most beautiful residential sections in Washington, near the home of R. Bolling, brother-in-law of the president. Arrangements for the sale have not yet been completed, but it is understood that the chief executive and his wife have been especially attracted to this lovely home of Representative Fuller. It has become available through the severance of Representative Fuller's connection with the house of representatives to become lieutenant governor of Massachusetts.

ANGRY MOB IN KANSAS TOWN CONTROLLED

Race War Takes Place Following Killing of White Man By a Colored Man

INDEPENDENCE, KANS., Dec. 17.—Members of the Home guard and American legion were patroling the streets here today as a result of race disorders last night in which a white boy and a negro were killed and four white men wounded, three critically.

Other home guard members and legioners sworn in as deputy sheriffs, were on duty near the county jail where according to Chief of Police Hall, Noble Green, a negro whose alleged action in killing R. R. Wharton, a white grocer yesterday, percipitated the trouble, is confined. Reports were current late last night that Green had been taken to the state prison at Lansing for safe keeping, but they were denied by Chief Hall, who said he had "an agreement with them" that no attempt would be made to lynch Green. "Them" Hall explained, "means a number of men who are in town". Threats of lynching were made late yesterday after Green had been captured at his home by a posse.

The local officials were without information this morning as to whether national guardsmen would be sent here as a percautionary measure. When the disorders were going on the request for troops was telephoned to the governors office at Topeka. Later the authorities assisted by home guardsmen and American Legion men, were able to get the situation under control and the town was quiet this morning.

According to officals the trouble was not unexpected and had been brewing all day yesterday. The climax came when Mayor Wadman and Chief Hall accosted a crowd of armed negroes on the street and urged them to go home. The negroes refused. While they were talking, a group of armed whites came up. According to witnesses, Arthur Harper, negro, without warning shot dead Lawrence Clennan, a white boy. Before Harper could lower his weapon he was riddled with bullets. The shooting was a signal for a general encounter. Both sides were soon reinforced and the firing spread rapidly, the combatants taking refuge behind whatever shelter they could find. It was then that the officers summoned aid, but it was more than an hour and a half before the streets were finally cleared. Theaters were closed and citizens warned to remain indoors.

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Your Physician Would Count the Red Corpuscles

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NEW LORD MAYOR OF LONDON TAKES OFFICE WITH POMP

Hon. James Rolls.

London's new lord mayor was inducted into office recently with the usual pomp and ceremony.

OFFICER ARRESTS MEDINA MAN

Gus Smallwood of Medina, came to this city to visit his brother-in-law, following of a cutting scrape which occured at Medina, last week and he was picked up by Sheriff Hackus, on a warrant issued in that county and turned over to the deputy sheriff who came here to take charge of him.

NAMED TO RESTORE HISTORIC LOUVAIN

Whitney Warren.

Whitney Warren, noted New York architect, has been asked to plan the restoration and rebuilding of the famous University of Louvain, Belgium, destroyed by the Germans.

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Chronicle-Telegram want ads bring results.

Hindu Criticizes America

Mrs. Carolyn Votaw, sister of President-Elect Warren G. Harding has as her guest Rev. A. H. Williams of Rangoon, India. Mr. and Mrs. Votaw converted the man fourteen years ago, when they were missionaries in his country. He discussed the dress of American women unfavorably. Such low necks, high heels and thin materials are only fit for the harem, he is reported as saying.

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